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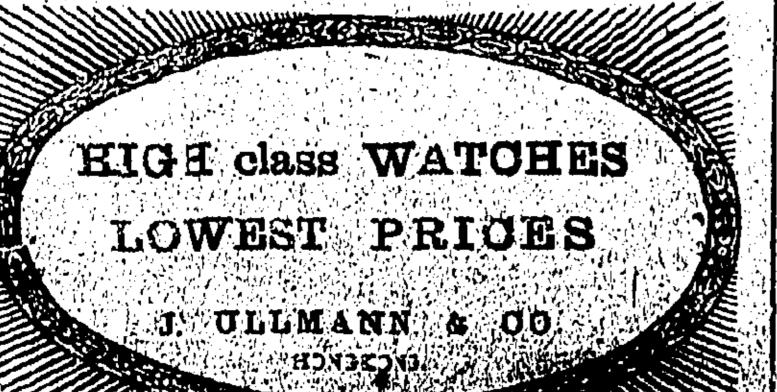
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JONES CONSTITUTIONALIST.

"RED FLAG" AT TRADITIONAL CEREMONY.

FIVE ITALIAN OPERA MARIONETTES."

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, January 9. Immediately Mr. J. H. Whitley, the Speaker took the chair in the House of Commons in readiness to summons the House of Lords and hear the Royal Assent to the Speaker's election, the Labourites of the backbenches began to whistle the "Rec Flag." They\_ceased, however, in response to sharp cries of order. The ceremony of the Lords was carried out in the time-honoured fashion.

Jack Jones was heard muttering throughout the proceedings and subsequently tried vainly to raise a point of order in the Commons. He alleged that the House had insulted him. He vouchsafed "no explanation but it is understood that he was aggrieved because there was only a handful of Peers present during the ceremony.

Miss Jewson was conspicuous in the Labour benches wearing a brown velour hat and a multicoloured scarf though the other women Labourites decided to continue hatless.

JONES' SARCASM OF THE LORDS. When leaving the House of Commons, Jack Jones explained that he made a protest because he was a Constitutionalist while the Lords were not. Though the Lords were always talking about constitution, Jones protested there were a hundred Commoners being received in the House of Lords by only "Five marionettes from the Italian Opera," whereas it was the duty of the Lords to receive the Commons in decent numbers: Jones' reference was to five Commissioners in red ermine cloaks and black cocked-hats.

MISS BONDFIELD-"OUR MAGGIE." much enlivened by the chaff and comment of the Labourites. Of the Women Labourites, Lady Ter-rington was heartily cheered; Miss Lawrence was greeted by cries of "Good old East London." Miss Margaret Bondfield walked up to the loud cry of Our Maggie."

#### **OBITUARY**

CANTERBURY.

LONDON, January 9.

The death took place to-day of Dr. Wace, Dean

Lecturer at Lincoln's Inn. Between 1880 and 1910 of 1848 only benefited Bismarck of Prussia," the he was Select Preacher at Oxford and Cambridge journal states "beware of omens." and during that period was made Professor of Ecclesiastical History at King's College, Prebendiary of St. Paul's, Principal of King's College, London, Chaplain of Lincoln's Inn, Rector of St. Michael's, Cornhill and Chaplain of the Inns of Court R.V. In 1921 he was distinguished by-the granting of freedom of the city of Canterbury to him. As an author and editor, Dr. Wace was editor in conjunction with Sir William Smith of the Dictionary of Christian Biography, Literature, Sects and Doctrines during the First Eight Centuries. Dr. Wace has published many religious works, his most recent one (1922) being the Story of the Passion.]

PROF. BASIL L. GILDERSLEEVE, BALTIMORE, January o.

Prof. B. L. Gildersleeve, of the John Hopkins University, Baltimore, died to-day. Reuter's American Service.

[Professor Gildersleeve was an eminent Greek scholar, philologist and author of many authentic works on Greek grammar. He was born in 1831 and earned the degrees of Ph.D., L.LD., Hon. D. Litt, Oxford and Cambridge. He was founder and editor of the American Journal of Philology.]

#### RUSSIAN COMMUNISM.

RIGA, January 10. Many leaders of the Central Communist Committee are advocating the cessation of attacks on Trotsky, emphasising the necessity of preserving unity at all costs. Nevertheless Prayda is continuing the campaign. Prayda states that Krestinsky, the Soviet representative at Berlin, Hermetn, has given a million dollars to establish an joined in opposition to the Central Committee.

GERMAN CREWS ON STRIKE

SHIPS HELP UP.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, January 9.

The German steamer held up at Victoria Docks owing to the strike of the crew is the Hamburg-America "Frankenwald" which arrived on Christmas Day. Officials of the new Stevenores and Lightermen's Union visited the "Frankenwald" to-day to ascertain whether there were any members of the union handling the cargo and if so, to order them to join the strike immediately. They retired, however, when they found that the cargo handlers belonged to the Transport Workers Union. German pickets at Hull awaited the arrival of the steamer ! Herbert Fischer" from Germany and induced the crew of nineteen to join the strike. As a result of negotiations between the Seamens and Firemen's Union at. Hull and agents of the German steamer "Neptune?" the latter agreed to pay the crew the British maritime rate from January 3 and accepted all conditions of the Maritime Board.

#### FLOODS REACH ROUEN.

FUND FOR SEINE SUFFERERS.

PARIS, January 9.

Although the Seine river is falling slowly, the outlook is not too promising for a spell of damper weather has returned. Meanwhile, the situation in Paris and the suburbs is much the same. The maximum height of the flood has now reached Rouen where the quays are flooded. At a meeting, of Deputies representing departments of the Seine, During the process of swearing in the new Seine-Oise and Seine-Marne, it was decided to Commoners this afternoon, the ceremonies were introduce a Bill opening a credit -30,000,000 francs. for sufferers and victims of the floods and to create a Permanent Group of Deputies of the three departments to safeguard Paris against any recurrence of the disaster.

#### FRANCE'S APPROVAL

RAMSAY MACDONALD'S VIEWS.

PARIS, January 9. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's expression of friendof Canterbury.

[The Very Rev. Henry Wace, D.D., was Dean sion. The Temps says "We shall do full justice to of Canterbury since 1903. He was born in London Mr. Macdonald's expressed intentions and hope that in 1836 and after receiving his education at he will do justice to those of France." The Journal Marlborough, Rugby and King's College, London, Desdebath states that if Mr. Macdonald perseveres gained his B.A. degree at Oxford (Brasenose). He in the sentiments he has expressed, he will meet was Ordained Curate at St. Luke's Berwick Street | with the greatest of gratitude from France which is from 1861 to 1863 and from there went to St. James's, ready to discard mutual recriminations and build Picadilly, for six years, then to Grosvenor Chapel up a sound policy, La Liberte, the organ of the until 1872. He delivered Boyle Lectures, Bampton Extreme Right thinks that Mr. Macdonald's idyllic Lectures and in 1896 was appointed Warburton language smacks of an 1848 savour. "The illusion s

#### ATLANTIC GALE.

FRANCE'S COAST BATTERED.

PARIS, January 9.

The Atlantic coast is in the grip of a gale which is accompanied by an exceptionally high tide practically amounting to a tidal wave. The whole coast from Brest to Biarritz is strewn with wreckage.

The quays are wrecked, houses flooded, fishing boats sunk and many fishermen are missing. The tremendous rush of water at Larochelle was accompanied by a slight earthquake. Contents of the houses were washed away ruthlessly and considerable damage has been done.

### JAPANESE SHIP ABANDONED.

"KYOSEI MARU'S" CREW SAVED.

LONDON, January 9. The steamer "Kyosei Maru" which left Seattle on January 5, has been abandoned. The crew has been taken off by the American steamer "President

#### AMERICAN'S GENEROSITY.

BRUSSELS, January 9. A Detroit industrial magnate, Mr. Raphael International University at Brussels.

#### DANGEROUS MAN."

SIX YEARS AND THE "CAT."

You are a dangerous man," the Chief Justice (Sir William Rees Davies) informed a Chinese named Cheung Wah who pleaded guilty at the Criminal Sessions this morning to the unlawful possession of two daggers at Kowloon City,

The evidence indicated that when arrested, the prisoner wa about to commit a crime with ans other man who got away and that when an attempt was made of search him he snatched, and threw

away a policeman's whistle. His Lordship imposed sentence of six years imprisonment with hard inbour and twelve strokes of

### RICSHA ROW.

MAN HURT

Bleeding profusely, a ricsha Station this morning and collapsed outside the charge room from loss of blood. He was attended to by Dr. A. R. Esler who soon bandaged the following ladies and gentlehim up and revived him.

Another ricsha coolle was taken into custody at the same time on a charge of assaulting his compatriot with a spanner in Hillier Street. It is believed that there had been a dispute over priority to take fares, the allegation being that the man in custody had inflicted the

Even from a distance the man was a digressing spectacle, his nead and clothes besmattered with blood which was dripping to channel several feet away.

Last night another highly successful Whist Drive was held at the Seamen's Institute, there being no coolie went up to the Central Police less than fifty tubles. The prizes, which were presented to the winners by the Rev. Norman A. Peel, Assistant-Chaplain, were, won. by

> Lodies'.—1st, Mrs. Allen, 171 2nd, Mrs. White, 171; 8rd, 3 Mrs. Hunt, 170; Booby; Mrs. Yale, 129.

Gentlemen's .- 1st, Mr. Dodson 180; 2nd, Mr. White, 177; 3rd, Mr. Crumplin, 176, 4th, Mr. Payne, 17d, Booby, Mr. Wetherbrook, 181.

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#### Silken Hose Song.

Ex Poetical minds all over France now, being held and is arousing a great deal of interest.

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about silk stockings. The competition is open to al Europe, and budding English poets might even have a try if they can think suitable poetry in French.

#### A Profiteering Story.

others to come to his assistance, but the club. none would come near him, and he had to apologise.

#### In B Flat Minor.

Don't sing that song again, my love, about the "Falling Dew." about it. You've sung it now until you've l made me seel à little blue; On the old T.P. piano, as your fingers lightly stray.

the man will call to-day.

#### "Yes--"

I'll be just-I will' readily give his due— He has one virtue rare I can say, have never yet noticed him

bawling the fact, That he "has no banana to-day." -" Vadis."

#### The Last Straw

I vowed that I would kill him. If we should meet again.

Last night I had my vengeance, I gave him súch a crack! shot him dead upon the spot,

BECAUSE HE BROUGHT HER BACK. -MR. DIABLE.

#### The Ocean Epic.

Petrol cargo. Forward hatch. Careless sailor Strikes match.

Fire! Fire! Holy Moses ! Captain yells, "Get hoses!"

Crew pump Like deuce. All night. 'No use.

Roaring furnace, Mighty deep; Hopeless dawn. Ladies weep.

Woman's tears, Waterspout. Thank Heavens! Fire out!

#### Play Royalties.

The famous librettist, W. S. Gilbert, sold his first play for £30. Later from one play alone, Pygmalion and Galatea, he obtained the princely sum of £50,000. Royalties | Snake v. Kookaburra. compares very favourably with the he dines next time.-Viking." £50 he received from Sir-then Mr.-Henry Irving for his third Australian. venture, Dalsy's Escape.

#### Blood and Fire.

-Me was known as Whiker, the Bottle-o. One day he won "A Gentleman's Complete 15-guinea Outfit." nThrowing away his old clothes Herstrutted round in his new attire

for fully a week. at the en MThen Cohen of the pawnshop began to see quite a lot of him. First the Stetson went; Then in quick succession followed the patent boots, the silk shirt, the coat, and finally the waistcoat.

"Ven are yer goin' ter pawn the tibusers ?" asked Cohen one day. " Carn's be did," said." Rego." ice wear.

#### Crusaders in the Abbey

The service in Westminster Abbey of the Noble Order of Crusaders which the Duke of York attended was an amazing affair. The Order, with its parade of highsounding names and array of curlous symbols, is a new and growing secret society—as secret Mr B. T. G. AitkenMr A. M. oMillan ning a novel competition which is as Freeniasonry. Its members are Mr Allix dedicated to some kind of social Mr T. J. Bogram Mrs O. M. May service," and that is all that is known about it. It has already been Mr and Mrs L. J. Miss Middlehurst compared, in the absence of knowledge, to the Fascists and the Ku Mr R. Blin Klux Klan-almost certainly quite Mr C. Breyer unfairly. Its rise is another Mr G. H. Brooks Mrs L. E. Newell symptom of the popularity of Mr.J. A. H. BrownMr P. I. Newman brotherhoods with their own esoteric-ritual which is one mark of Mr and Mrs A. M. Mr and Mrs M. M. the post-war world.

#### The N.L.C. Portraits.

appropriate committee of National Liberal Club decided Miss E. M. Dawson Mr and Mrs H. F. once more to hang on the walls Mr D. E. Domally Scudamore of the club the portraits of Mr. Mr H. C. Dumball Mr D. K. Severn of the club the portraits of Mr. Mrs F. C. Edwards Mr and Mrs G. H. J. Lloyd George and Mr. Winston Mr F.C. Edwards Jr. v.d. Sluys Lady Warwick, addressing a Churchill. Mr. Churchill's portrait Mr A. E. Fernley Mr F. Soane labouring meeting at Leam- has never been hung in the club Mr and Mr. W. H. Mrs W. H. Sparke ington, said that her son, who before. It was received only Gale\_ was in the Flying Corps, was din- about the time when the Coalition Dr R. E. Oill ing with his comrades at a Birming- Liberal secession took place, and Mr & Mrs J. Gould Mr W. Vander Steen ham hotel during the war, and at as a matter of fact the club was Mr I. S. L. Greensill Stevens another table was a party of war then in exile at the Westminster Capt. T. P. Hall Mr A. H. Tessier profiteers, their wives covered with Palace Hotel as a result of a Mr J. Scott Barston Mr D. Timbina diamonds and the table laden with decision of Mr. Lloyd George's Mr and Mis C. A.Mr C. H. Tinsley Mr. Travelvan champagne. The host got up and Government to take over for Henderson Mr F. Trevelyan, asked them to drink "to the war, Government purposes the historic Mr H.L. Holdsworth Mr W. Turner and damn the peace."

Building of the club. But Mr. Miss L. Hoogeveen Mr A. Tatundjian Her boy and his comrades went I land Googeveen was a control used to Miss L. Hoogeveen Mr A. Tatundjian Her boy and his comrades went Lloyd George's portrait used to Mr A. T. Howee Mr and Mrs E. and stood over the man, and said, hang over the mantelpiece at the Mr H. A. A. F. Hurt Ville "Apologise this instant.". The river end of the smokeroom, one of Mr J.O.S. Byndman Mr R. B. R. Wade man tried to get the waiters and the two most prominent places in Mr.S. Jappi

Both portraits have now been Mr J. E. Joseph hung in the smoking-room, but on Mr P. Jourlin a side wall on either side of the Mr L. Kadoorio entrance to the dining-room. Mr E. S. Kadoorie There was no ceremony or display

Dance of Death. Some years ago while working on a sheep station near Ballarat I am thinking of instalments, and was invited to a dance at a neighbouring station. The musicians Nr and were tuning up, and the M.C. had taken the floor when a messenger Mr and Mrs S. James appeared with a telegram for the boss. It contained the news of the Mr and Mrs F. M. Mr & Mrs E. Lund death of the boss's brother that afternoon. Of course the dance was off. The boss, not wishing to spoil things altogether, told us we could hold the hop in a Fetterley & child Mr & Mrs R. A was up we lined up again. Just as Fowle &children children the guests were about to get into Mr & Mrs I. H.Mr O. B. Shank The Last Straw
their stride word was received of Miss Gears children
Six months ago he stole my wife, the death of another of the boss's Mr and Mrs S. J.Mr Turner My heart was filled with pain; brother in W.A. The dance was Hicks put off for another month." When that period had expired an apprehensive lot of guestsassembled. The boss had been ill for about a week, and though confined to his bed, nothing serious was feared. Mr H. E. D. AdamsMr and . Mrs A. At about eight o'clock he took a Mr W. Armstrong Keating bad turn, and just as the revels Mr and Mrs A.Mr M. F. Key were about to commence, he died. The dance was cancelled for ever.

### -" Wang."

Snakes. DOCTORED SNAKE.

Sitting near the front of my home near Whitton (N.S.W.) I saw a large black snake gliding in the front door. Rushed inside, but could find no trace of the reptile. Mr and Mrs S. F.Mr and Mrs R. Mc-About three weeks later my wife cut her finger and went to the Miss C. E. Clark Miss R.S. McGteger medicine chest for some iodine. I lifed the lid and found the snake inside dead. Noticing it looked rather fat I opened it up and discovered two reels of cotton, one bottle of fodine, two pairs of tweezers, two empty medicine bottles, two dozen corks and one packet of needles. I must have

#### ing.—S.E.Y.

No Return Ticket. Saw a dead snake recently in an Mr O. Reger auger hole in a fence post, through | Mr A. Forbes which passed a barb wire. Having Dr 0. Forsyth got partly through, it had evidently Mr D. Fitzgerald Lt. Col. & Mrs O. found the hole too small. Its re- Mr F. M. Goldrich treat was prevented by the barb of Mr and Mrs W. D.Mr and Mrs. L. G. the wire catching under its scales. -Malles.

from other plays, such as The Came across a kookaburra re-Mikado must have ranged even cently in an exhausted condition. higher than this. Sir Arthur Pinero I found a green snake had coiled Hawker accepted a set of shirt stude, not round his body and neck and was Mr J. B. Hawker Mrs. and Miss Stubjewelled, for Two Hundred a Year. strangling him. After being MrG. M. Hemsworth bings For Two Can Play at That Game, a rescued, old Jack flew away to a farce, he was paid £5. £40,000 from tree, shook himself, and cackled. the earnings of Sweet Lavender Guess he'll be more careful where Eng. Comdr. J. H.Mrs J. S. Thomson

> The old Maori wasn't much at work. "Too bad, Hori" said the boss, "I thought you had more ginger in you." "That all right, boss," said Hori cheerfully, "my kind to preserved ginger."

Towards the close of the cricket season, an all-day match was contested between the winners of two competitions. The visiting team played one man short. When he was telling the story of the game, a player was asked; "But didn't they give youn substitute?" "Oh, yes," he replied, "they gave us lemonade and ginger-beer."

The choir and congregation were gloomily, "aven't got any others lustily singing "Lead Kindly Light," when the lights went out. But Rage was a strategist. They sang on but at the end of the Several days later he marched into third verse they were still in dark- influents and la grippe, but these hard, Cohen's shop and dumped the ness. No use [1] whispered Bad ling and purelye qualities of Chamber-trousers on the counter. He was Bill, singin' yms won't do in lain Congh Remedy. Good for trouble fully attired in a Salvation Army They should rive the nowar. fully attired in a Salvation Army They should ring up the power some night coughs too. For sale avery-

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NOTICE.

Extraordinary General Meeting of the Club will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Fardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on THURSDAY the 10th January **1924,** at 5 p.m.

The purposes for which the Meeting is called are:-(a) \To confirm the following re-

solutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 12th December 1923 I. That the Rules of Racing

made by the Hongkong Jockey Club be amended by adding after Rule No. 11 the following IIa. After the Annual Race Meeting 1924 a China Pony is a horse measuring 13 hands 3 inches and

2. That the said Rules of Racing be amended by striking out Rule No. 77 and substituting the following:

The weight for China Ponies shall be 140 pounds for 12 hands with an additional 3 pounds for every complete inch above that height. Fractions of an inch to count in favour of the Pony. Any Pony measuring 14 hands (fractions of an inch to count in favour of the Pony) and under shall be eligible to compete at the Annual Race Meeting in 1924 in any race reserved for China Ponies. After the Annual Race Meeting in 1924, any China Pony which measures over 13 hands 3 inches, to be ineligible to compete in any race reserved for China Ponies (fractions of an inch over 13 hands 3 inches not to count).

77a. After the Annual Race Meeting 1924 the Stewards may refuse to accept the entry of any Pony which in their opinion is not a China Pony. They may, at their discretion, appoint a Committee of Inspection. The Stewards' decision shall be final.

1. That Rule No. 34 of the Rules and Regulations of the Hong kong Jockey Club be amended to read:--

The Stewards have power to draw up and settle the programme and fix the date or dates for any Race Meeting.

4. That Rule No. 76 of the Rules of Racing made by the Hongkong Jockey Club be unchanged.

(b) To propose a resolution adopting the revised Rules and Regulations of the Club as circulated to the Members in which the following new provisions have been made:-

1. For the division of the Members of the Club into Voting and Non-Voting or Ordinary Members.

2. For Lady Racing Members. s. For the increase of the Entrance Fee to the Club. 4. For Visiting Members. 5. For the appointment of a

Secretary. 6. For the alteration of the date upon which subscriptions are payable and other minor

alterations.

By Order C. B. BROWN,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 2, 1924.

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The remaining 4,000 shares to be issued at the present time, ranking equally with those already subscribed, are now offered for Public Subscription, payable as to \$2.50 per share on application. The balance due on each share (\$7.50) will be called up on allotment. The unissued Capital of the Company will be issued at such time or times and on such terms as the Directors shall determine.

#### Directors:

CHARLES EDWARD HARTNELL BEAVIS, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, Solicitor. CHAN PER CHUN, No. 34, Bonham Strand West, Victoria, Hongkong, Merchant.

CHAP YUE TENG, No. 16, Des Voux Road Central; Victoria, Hongkong, Merchant. CARL BRADLEY SHANK, Nos. 50-52, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, Engineer.

EDWARD DEAN SHANK, Nos. 50-52, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, Architect. Wong Kwok Shun, No. 169, Des Venux Road Central, Victoria,

Hongkong, Banker. One further Director will be appointed by the Board after allotment.

#### Bankers:

THE INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

#### Auditors:

MESSIEURS LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS, Chartered Bank Building, Victoria, Hongkong.

Solicitors: MESSIEURS WILKINSON & GRIST, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong.

Registered Office of the Company:

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#### PROSPECTUS.

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(b) The Company has acquired as a going concern that branch of the business of The Chino American Industrial Developing Company, Limited, which has been engaged in the manufacture of "Simplex Plaster." The purchase includes a piece of land of an approximate area of 41,000 square feet situate at Tsun Wan, together with the buildings, plant, machinery and equipment thereon, the machinery being already assembled for the commencement of manufacture. The purchase price will be paid and satisfied by the allot-ment to The Chino American Industrial Developing Company, Limited, of 15,000 shares of the Company credited as fully paid up. Furthermore the agreement with the Vendors provides that the Vendors will place with the Company all further orders for the supply of plaster required by the Vendors.

The Contract for the acquisition of this business is dated the 4th day of January, 1924, and is made between The China American Industrial Developing Company, Limited, of the one part and Denis Henry Blake as Trustee for the Company of the other part. A copy of the Contract can be inspected at the Registered Office of the Company or at the office of the Company's Solicitors.

(c) The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is seven shares

(d) No commission or promotion money is being paid by the Company. (c) The Company will pay the preliminary expenses of and

incidental to the formation and floating of the Company down to the time when it becomes entitled to commence business, and the estimated amount thereof is \$5,000.00.

(f) The Articles of Association provide that the qualification of a Director is to be the holding of 500 shares in the Company, and that the remuneration of each of the Directors is to be \$600.00 per annum. (g) The Directors are interested in the promotion of the Company to the extent only that they or some of them are Directors of

other companies with whom the Company may do business. (h) Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company can be inspected at any time during business hours at the Registered Office of the Company or at the office of the Com-

pany's Solicitors. (i) A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is annexed to this Prospectus and forms part of it.

(j) Application for shares should be made upon the Form attached to this Prospectus, and sont to the Company's Bankers together with a remittance of \$2.50 per share, the amount of the

Where no allotment is made, the deposit will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for, a proportionate amount of the deposit will be returned. (k) Prospectuses can be inspected at and Forms of Application obtained from the Company's Bankers, the International Banking

Corporation, and at and from the Registered Office of the Company. Dated the 5th day of January, 1924.

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NOTICE TO SHARKHOLDERS.

The one hundred & fourth ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company No. 4A, Des Voeux Road, on FRIDAY, 1st February 1924, at 12 O'clock NOON for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors. together with a Statement Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Directors and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Saturday 19th January to Friday 1st February 1924, both days inclusive. during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

'Hongkong, January 8th, 1924.

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ITEMS PROM FAR AND NEAR.

Organization of a South Dakota branch of the National Ford-for-President clubs, with headquarters at Watertown, S.D., has been com- of course, absurd. pleted, it is announced.

The coast guard cutter "Seneca" has sailed on an extended deep sea oceanographic expedition to determine the position of the Labrador current.

The Governor of Valencia,

Spain, has officially declared the town bankrupt, with a deficit of 5.000,000 pesetas, says Central News dispatch from Madrid. A campaign to raise \$500,000 for

Jewish educational purposes in scribed at a dinner here.

A \$50,000 "Jubilee Fund" was connection with the golden jubilee ing mechanism. to an alteration in the conditions of the denomination, which was to

> chairman of the Edward Bok cold is not so severe as to cause American Peace Award jury. shivering-by promoting or re-Plans already have been submitted stricting the loss of heat. by citizens in every state and by By wearing clothing we greatly many Americans in foreign lands, retard the loss of heat and minimise it is announced.

> the new high power radio station method of keeping up the body. at Monte Grande by sending the temperature. first wireless message from Up to a certain point assisting Argentina to Europe. The mess- nature by choice of clothing and age was one of cordial greetings to artificial heat is not only desirable. the heads of all the nations of the but also very necessary.

> mastadon, an elephant of a later ed it gets, as it were, out of gear. era, and skeletons of human The result is that when it is requirbeings buried for 7,000 to 10,000 ed to act it may be suffering from: years, have been uncovered at disuse, leaving us more liable to Point Magu, Ventura County, by catch cold. John P. Harrington, a represent- Over-clothing, then, as practised ative of the Smithsonian Institution by many men, is just as bad as the of Washington.

Villa Falconieri, and will relinquish health suffer. said to be autobiographical, auda- mechanism by the cold. cious, and outspoken, even for these unreticent days.

The retiring American Ambassador George Harvey, who sailed for home on the "Aquitania" on valuable service stands to the credit of Chamberlaid's Cough Remedy and in Anglo-American diplomatic slate all that time we have never heard of a wiped clean as he surrenders his single dissatisfied user, nor a dealer who official position at the Court of St. James's. The only business which highest terms to his patrons. Those who have the court of the highest terms to his patrons. Those who have the court of the childhood took it for coughs, colds, will possibly be unfinished when

Imperial Conference.

#### WOMEN WHO LAUGH AT COLD WEATHER.

Many fashionably dressed wow men, we are told, are runnings Lisbon-The Minister of Agri- unnecessary risks to their health culture has resigned his portfolio. by going about in light and scanty dresses and silk stockings and shod only in thin shoes.

To go to extremes in clothing is:

On the other hand, there can be no doubt that the cheerful demeans our of women-folk in cold weather presents a marked contrast to the miserable appearance of the average man shivering in spite of his heavier clothing.

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them to do with less clothing. Our sensitiveness to cold is deto be raised in Reformed Episcopal | pendent to a certain extent on the churches throughout the country in efficient acting of our heat-regulat-

The body temperature is kept constant as a result of balancing the heat produced and the heat lost, Elihu Root has been elected and this is effected—so long as the

the demand made on the muscles to produce extra warmth. In other President De Alvear inaugurated words, we reinforce nature's own

On the other hand, it is bad to muffle up too much, as unless the: Fossillized remains of a heat-regulating centre is stimulat-

wearing of too few clothes. It diminishes the resistance to cold, Gabriele d'Annunzio, poet, causes the food to be incompletely statesman, and soldier, has leased metabolised and stored up as fat. from the Italian Government the In this way both good looks and

his present residence on Lake Much of woman's hardiness may, Garda. He promises to publish after all, be due to proper and shortly two or three books, one of judicious stimulation of the which, "About Me and Myself," is muscles and heat-regulating

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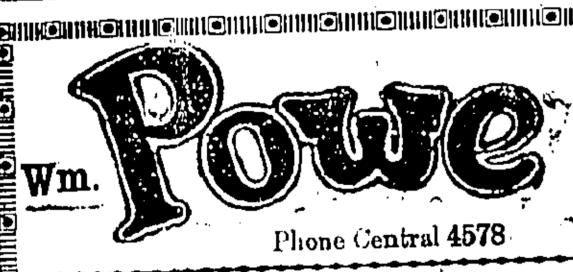
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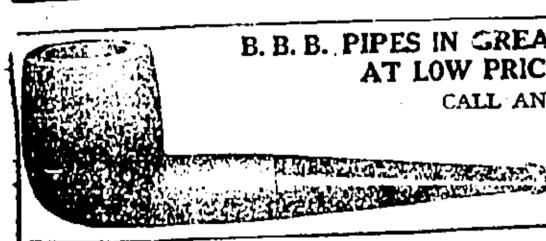
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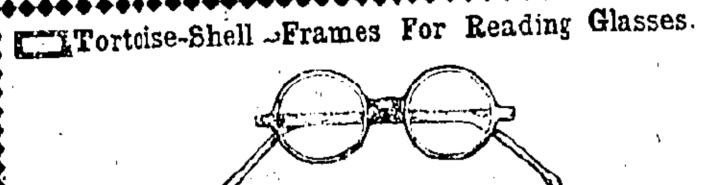
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British Labour Party is led by men who are peaceful revolutionists.

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"The ..... folly of standing aloof from 'Russia" has already been commented on by us. It is necessary to reiterate that Russia needs the things Great Britain can supply -yet we remain apart, adding 'to the cost of and increasing the extent of anempleyment to a suggering organised force is to be used for

The strength of the entente bethe party was beginning to find its tween France and ourselves is a ings of Christ, could its machinery parliamentary feet and to make matter at which political doctors be used for influencing political or itself felt as a political force and shake their heads. The puny thing one to be reckoned with. It has still gives forth a gasping breath, to be reckened with to-day and in despite the "pinpricks" which Order is inimical to Jews is quite certain quarters this is so appre puncture its attenuated carcase. ciated that the suggestion has been It will be a "great thing" if the made that Liberal and Conservative Labour Party can put the irritations pot wish to join the Order The forces should unite in face of a and misunderstandings that hinder, spirit of the Unknown Warrier has common enemy and an enemy behind the veil of obscurity and the been adopted as the Order's first School's entertainment, under the directed at the well being not merely possibility of their recurrence. Any of Great Britain but her vast posses party that is able to accomplish that the Order from all parts of the sions. It seems to us to be the cry is half way to angelic inheritance. of crusted astignatic minds. Acceptance of the aims of the Examine the latest utterance of Mr. Lengue of Nations naturally come Rameay Macdonald and see if there as a matter of course, as does the wear a uniform as of one one to is anything in it that warrants the determination to deal adequately slay a dragon and release a hapless assumption made. It is brimful of with housing and unemployment ly to be great. problems. Complaint may be made that the speech is too anticipatory; that the flush of victory does not justify these reasonings and these mendation of H. E. the Governor's verbal evidence of the will or desire appreciation of the work of the to power; whilst nothing has been police in the Yaumati section of fourth ordinary meeting of sharesaid about such things as the Capital

sion to office is not outside the region of possibilities, as matters stand at the present moment, and

the matter deserves the attention of i all who desire the welfare of the land of our birth. Distant as we degree realise the debt they owe are from the scene of conflict, the to these "lidless watchers of the public weal." matter affects us as much as if we were at home in our trade and commerce and in the method of our

Forsome young CHARIVARIA. ladies we are informed that December 25 was a very merry

oligarchic form of government.

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Some people think that Australia is a big island with nothing but Kangaroos hopping about. A regular land of Hopportunity.

A serious-minded person informs us that he thinks that the goat gland Doctor was afmid to butt in

courteons attention given to and the English. Firstly Mr. question has abated. Negotiations search for digs—room and board as the death of Captain Altred Newby they treat them in a uniform manner.

The floods in Parisare subsiding it is good to hear. A general liquidation so to speak.

SOMETHING USEFUL. A scientist has patented gramophone record that will pre-

have the nerve To right an ancient wrong, By patenting a wife who will pre-

Silence for half as long.

When I asked a young BLUSH girl of Portrush, "What book do you To-day's Poem. read?" she said " Hush !

I have happened to chance On a novel from France And I hope it will cause me to

Unity publishes A LEAGUE the following re-OF YOUTH, solution adopted by 600 representatives of the German Youth Movement, who met at Hellerau, near Dresden, on August 4, 1923, with representatives from nine European countries and America:

"We send our fellow greetings to the youth of France. We regret very much that representatives of the French youth could not come to Hellerau, and we express the wish that on future occasions French and German young people will co-operate for peace and for a

social order. "We believe that to-day there rests a special responsibility with the French and the German youth for the building up of a new world in the spirit of peaceful co-opera-

"To every kind of violence we will oppose our common effort for peace and a united Europe."

We shall expect spon to have someone rushing in and forming a branch of the "Order of Crusaders" whose supreme object is to try to perpetuate the spirit of comradeship, service, loyalty, and selfsacrifice

recognise one another by signs without money. and passwords, and they hope to establish throughout the Empire a body vowed to honour God, be loyal to King and country and to their better selves, and to help unfortunates, whether Crusaders or not. No underlying menace of any purpose, not, as the Crusade embraces all political creeds, and all sects who recognise the teachother issues. All British-born subjects are eligible for membership, and the slatement that the untrue, although, as the badge of the Order is the sign of the Cross, a not wish to join the Order. The Knight. Thousands of letters auspices of the Victoria Diocesan

world, expressing a wish to join the Association. All this sounds very high falutin, and when it is seen that Crusaders malden, the attraction of it is like- H.K. Boxing Assen's third tourna-

tones of com- II a.m. the Colony, particularly in regard holders of the Hongkong-Canton to the revolver duel with armed and Macao Steamboat Co. Ltd., at bequests, ranging from £20 to £3,000, were left to various Lonthe token of their donors appreciation ing, in the Board Room of Messrs.

power," and must be read and them. One of the gifts was ac-

pondered accordingly. The success companied by the following I do this because I have always admired the unfailing sympathy, and tact of the police to both

rich and poor alike. Too many take for granted police protection and do not in the least

The boy hadth write A short essay DESIGNING light, And windows he happened to men-

But he missed out the "n"-Just a slip of the pen-Which at once drew the master's attention.

The master said "Windows Much differ from widows; Don't you know that?"-the ton meant to wither. Quoth the boy with a grin, "Ay, ye see though the yin,

CELEBRATIONS, account of the St. Georges Ball

assuming that the waltz is an will do and nothing definite has been a stranger I am bewildered. English affair. The rest were arrived at. serve speech for 10,000 years. | celebrations will be entirely tions outstanding in regard to these prising "proprietor" mentions a tions outstanding in regard to these prising "proprietor" mentions a matters will be cleared up. On figure which staggers me, and leaves they can be got. And they will at great length on the Customs mutter despondently 'No thank ceased seemed to be slightly under cither, an insult to the beauties of the Colony and the weather which is being vouchsafed us.

(To-day.) So here buth been dawning. Another blue Day; Think, wilt thou let it Slip useless away?

Out of Eternity This new Day is born; Into Eternity, At night, will return.

Behold it aforetime No eye ever did: So soon it for ever From all eyes is hid.

Here both been dawning Another blue Day; Think, wilt thou let it Slip useless away? -Carlyle

WEATHER CALENDAR.

JANUARY 10.

at the Star in Cheapside.-

#### CHARACTER.

A human being without character by means of a Brotherhood bound is a wet nurse without milk, a together by a vow. The members soldier without weapons, a traveller

—Pетит (1784-1858).

SHADOWS BEFORE.

Coming Events Advertised In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Are You A Failure? January 10.—Star The Forbidden Fruit."

lanuary 10.-World The Heart Line." January 10 .- The Grand Theatre; Jackie Coogan in "Trouble." January 14.—Theatre Royal, a

are reaching the headquarters of Assen. at 4.30 p.m. January 12.—Dancing in Palace

January 24.—Fancy Dress Ball at Peak Club, 9.15 plm. January 12.—Theatre Royal

ment of the season, at 9.15 p.m. January II.—Lammert Bros., at plaintiff stole two batteries belong-APPRECIATION. other day in Sales Rooms, miscellaneous goods,

> COMPANY MEETING. February 1.- One-hundred and coets.

OTHER MEETINGS. January 10.—Hongkong Jockey matter for congratulation that the Labour Government if it comes to of the efforts of the police to help Jardine Matheson & Co., at 5 p.m. everywhere

CURRENT COMMENT.

WHAT THE CHINESE PAPERS SAY.

RENTS EXPLOITATION.

The Hongkong Evening News As the supply of liquees cannot

meet the demand, "shoe money," or cumshaw, in amounts hitherto unheard of, are invariably demanded from prospective tenants for new houses no matter if they are built in the central, eastern or western districts of Hongkong. In somo cases, the cumshaw asked for,

equals one month's rent. per month, in addition to "shoemoney," is now being demanded for new Chinese flats in a street in the central district, or about twice as much as that charged by hotels. If the present state continues, it will be extremely difficult for those But ye never can see through the (Chinese) who earn just above \$1() or so a month, with four or five SEARCHING FOR ROOM AND In reading the mouths to feed, to make ends meet.

CUSTOMS SURPLUS QUESTION. One after another, the foreign A new arrival enthuses on the festivities we can find only a few warships have gradually left Canton to things that smack of England and interest in the Customs Surplus Nicholson's roses and the pro- are still going on between the the obliging landlady euphemistigramme of music submitted by the Diplomatic Corps and our (meaning cally puts it. And after many years) Surrey Band. The dance pro- Canton) Government. The present of hard experience in the Far East gramme consisting of 17 items, had position is still tentative, each side I find Hongkong the most in it five dances that were English, is trying to gauge what the other exaspenting city of them all.

English or as nearly national as January 6, the U.S. Minister spoke me with just enough breath to by shot himself. He said that denot be confined to one stuffy Surplus, when he paid a visit to the crowded night in the year Generalissimo's headquarters. That Hongkong's ability to provide turned to the ship the night before the Surplus should undoubtedly go accommodation for lonely bachelors he died but he had no drinks on to China was admitted, but it was is certainly worth the proverbial the ship.

town improvements." mander (the character used can encomiums from the old lady and denote either a general, admiral, have even been called "that nice vicercy or governor) are using their Mr. Sinclair." But here in Honginfluence to bring about a settle- kong-words fail me. ment. The fact that there only re- During these past three days, were formerly stationed here for the never committed matrimony.

SUMMARY DISMISSAL.

EMPLOYEE WHO TESTIFIED AGAINST EMPLOYER.

1660. I into London (it being missed by his employer for giving moving and finding another home. through heat of the sun a evidence against him at the Police To be possessed of a roving nature great thaw and dirty) to show Court was alleged by the plaintiff is an antidote to marriage; it our bills of return, and com- in a wages claim heard before the better one did not submit a wife to ing back drank a pint of wine Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Com- the tortures of a nomadic existence. pertz) this morning when Tse Fo It would be, in my humble opinion, sued Kartar Singh, proprietor of a a sufficient cause for estrangement: position. garage in Landale Street, for but I am diverting.

the plaintiff was engaged by the for several days amid the perils of

explained, was to the effect that day's absorbing quests-I have been when Harnam Singh was drunk the totalling up the pros and cons of a defendant took his finger prints and sailor's life. Eliminating the gaiety stole some promissory notes from of a landlubber's life, I have decided him. The police court proceedings that I should have gone to sea when relief to me-I must confess that I were dismissed, the Magistrate ox- the idea obsessed me. I was four- have a weakness for boarding January 10.—Coronet Theatre; pressing some doubt as to the truth teen then and by now may have houses. It may amuse you to know. of the plaintiff's evidence and the become a mate or chief engineer. why, but I will be frank. Wasn't Theatre; same afternoon the plaintiff was A nice cabin to myself, no changing it Thackeray, Dickens and Oliver summarily dismissed without being and trudging when in port, no Wendell Holmes who lived in the Theatre; paid any wages. His claim was for irritating interviews with polite but attic of some dilapidated boarding wages due and a month's wages in firm boarding bouse keepers—save house, wrote their immertal works

Mr. Russ: I suppose it would be, Lauder's comes to mind: "Oh' to covers my posthumous works and if there were perjury. But there is be a sailor." I am afraid now that that they will be priceless. Before no ground for it in this case except the time has gone for me to bid I die, however, I shall put a clause that the Magistrate had doubts. The Puisne Judge: If an em- sea. I must keep my nose to the of my posthumous works shall be ployee committed perjury it might wheel and die, still looking for a donated to the establishment of a certainly lead to a breach of the suitable boarding house.

Mr. Russ: It might lead to ruin I your Honour. The defence was that while the defendant was away at Canton the ing to a car. After hearing the ovidence, however, His Honour gave judgment for the claim with

Try This For Your Cougha. A nervous backing cough cannot be cured by a glass of water, but it wall disappear under the healing an. so thing don police homes, funds, etc., in Club, extraordinary general meet- effect of Chamberlain's Cough Rem dy Every user, is a friend. It is for sale

**NEW CANTON LOAN?** 

REPORTED JAPANESE ADVANCE

HAINAN COAL MINES PLEDGED. ( From Our Own Correspondent. )

'CANTON, January 9. 🦏 Rumour has it, but from a source which has every reason to be credited, that Dr. Sun Yat-sen's Canton Government is in negotiation with a Japanese syndicate for a loan of one million dollars. The report goes so far as to state that the coal-mining rights of Keng-Ngai, i.e., the island of Hainan and the peninsula opposite, in the southern part of the province, are pledged for ten years as security. Furthermore, it is claimed that one hundred thousand dollars, representing the initial instalment, has been paid over and that the remainder will be remitted'

Li Yew-hon, a former Civil Governor and new anti-Sun general, As much as \$160 to \$170 rental is reported to be in arms along the West River. Hardly any passenger or goods traffic was carried on the Canton-Samshui early trains to-day, the out-going cars from the metropolis being monopolised by tre ps. bound, it is said, for the scene of operations.

A STRANGER'S LAMENT.

BOARD IN HONGKONG.

[BY JOHN SINCLAIR.]

same old story I am told; one which one-steps, and two steps and fox- It is felt that as a result of the holds no copyright, but which is as trots, which we believe are dis- United States Minister's visit to universal as love. "Sorry, but we tinctly American. The day will Canton to discuss foreign relations have no single rooms : you can have come probably when St. Andrew's and the Customs Surplus, all quest a double room for '-- then the enter-

up a satisfactory guarantee that the and cold water, verandah," etc., moon and that he had shot one of proceeds from the Customs Surplus and unless I have developed some them and thrown his body overwill be spent entirely in "river con- intestinal disorder, such as is com- board. servancy work, road-building and mon in the Far East, I have stayed,

main the foreign naval craft which have almost regretted that I have protection of Shameen, points to an in my botel room-I am paying so early settlement of the negotiations. many big dollars per diem-I dream fond dreams of some sweet young thing like those inspiring creatures drawn on the front page of Nash's magazine and wonder why I have not married and settled down,

That he had been summarily dis-dreams comes the nightmare of

Three days ago, I said "au According to Mr. C. A. S. Russ, revoir' to my sailor friends in who appeared to support the claim, whose hands my life had been held

defendant on October 14 as a car the sea. I did not envy them their washer at \$10 per month. He was lot when I put my right foot on the given half a month's payat the end Hongkong Bund. I thought I was of October but was not given any- an exceedingly lucky man when thing at the end of November. On they told me that if they got half a December 5 the defendant was dozen nights a month in port they prosecuted at the Police Court by a were in the lap of the gods, but now man named Harnam Singh and the I must admit a complete reverse of plaintiff gave evidence in the latter's my opinion. In my idle moments favour. The evidence, Mr. Russ -I have had very few during the Mr. A. S. Mackichan 92-16-76. The Puisne Judge: I suppose per rolling wave. When I think of it, that I shall did unrecognized, that jury is not a ground for dismissal. that old favourite song of Harry some fervid collector of antiques dis-

the mark-but a simple life on the and became famous? I am hoping adieu to the land and take to the in my will stating that the proceeds.

have said about Hongkong—a bachelors i

CAPTAIN'S DEATH. CORONER'S INQUIRY.

Major C. Willson, sitting as Coroner, assisted by a jury, held-It is an old problem, this eternal an inquiry this morning regarding

(55) who was found with a bullet wound in his head, in his cabin on board the river steamer "Wing Tai," on December 19. Sub-Inspector Bond of the Water Police gave evidence as tofinding the body and Dr. E. P.

Minett described the wound when the body was identified. Sun Yu, cabin boy, then testified as to deceased's condition before the tragedy and to discovering the revolver with which Captain Newthe influence of liquor when he re-

pointed out that if the sanction of biscuit. I have been in Singapore. Mr. Samuel Butcher, in charge the Powers was obtained through Shanghai and Peking during my of the Scamen's Institute at Kowthe channels of 'responsible nego- Oriental peregrinations and within loon, deposed to seeing the tiations based on fair reasoning, twenty-four hours of my arrival accused back to ship. Deceasedlaws and virtue," there would be have gained admittance on com- had told witness that he felt queer no difficulties. What is needed is fortable terms—to the settlements and had mentioned that pirates that "our Government" should put "most select residential hotel, hot had been on his ship at Kong-

Mr. Cheng Sui-lam, manager for town improvements."

A certain Consul and a high comboarder," carned the sweetest been in his service for about one tory and that he had never heard.

of pirates attacking his ship. Detective Sergeant Dorling also gave evidence after which the jury returned a verdict of "suicide by shooting himself whilst of unsound

GOOD-BYE.

Amongst the passengers who bought or rented a house and solved left the Colony by the "President the perplexing problem. I suppose Grant" on Monday, was Mr. R.G. every bachelor does the same. Yet Murdoch. Mr. Murdoch has spent. in the wake of these soothing ten years in China during most of which time he was in the employ of Messrs Butterfield & Swire in the interior of North China. Mr. Murdoch has now left the East to take up a position in Southern California and his friends wish him every success in his new

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Exchange on London is 2/378; on Shanghai 711/2.

Twelve new cases of small-pox were notified yesterday.

The Captain's Cup Competition, played at Fanling on 5th, 6th and 7th January, 1914, was won by

boarding house in Hongkong exclu-But after all these unkind things sively for strange and lonely

THE BEAUTEOUS HIBISCUS

(A TRANSLATION.)

Hibiscus blooms: Then our the minored waters spread, Its wavy patterns hectic red; Men all consider it to be A beauty fairer far than me. Yet yesterd ly. Along the rivers flowr'y bank I walked alone, he wonder lost That people didnot come to see The pretty flaming hibiscus !

-- CHEAH.

### HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

DEGREE DAY CEREMONY.

HONORARY DEGREES CONFERRED

GROWING INSTITUTION.

The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was, at the thirteenth con- least should be settled before my but I am more than satisfied with end, Pennig: This letter accounts; gregation of the University of Hongkong held yesterday afternoon, term of office ended, and it is a what I already hear of the impres- for the damage, since the mails that conferred upon Mr. Arthur Prece M.I.E.E., senior partner of the matter of extreme satisfaction to sion our graduates are creating, reached Hongkong by the "Japan" University's honorary consulting engineers in London, and Mr. S. W. me that the receipt of the The times are times of rapid and "Sicilia," were conveyed as far Tso, whose deep interest in education and public affairs generally is Chater benefaction has rendered change in China, with, too often all as Bombay by the s.s. 'Mantua,' widely appreciated in Hongkong.

A notable feature of the ceremony was an interesting speech by salary scales I recommended am inclined to think that we have the retiring Vice-Chancellor (Sir William Brunyste) in the course of They are in no way extravagant somehow succeeded in teaching boot containing mails numbering which he reviewed the progress achieved by the University during the scales—far from it—but they will our men to know how to wait 300 bags got badly wet with salt three years he has been in office.

Following tea on the tennis courts, during which the band of East Surreys provided delightful music, the ceremony began at 5 p.m. with an impressive procession of members of the Court, Council. Senate and staff of the University in full regalia. Those who took part in the procession were:-

The Chancellor H.E. the Governor (Sir Reginald, Stubbs K. C. M. G.) the Mace Bearer; Mr. Tso Seen-wan, Mr. Arthur Preece; the Vice-Chancellor, the Treasurer; Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, Dean, Faculty of Arts, Registrar; William Rees Davies, H. E. Sir John Fowler: Bishop of Victoria, Hon. Sir Claud Severn, Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, Hen, Mr. H. T. Creasy, Hon. Mr. C. McI. Messer, Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving, Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Hon Mr. Chow Shou-son, Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe, Hon, Mr. A. O. Lang, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Dr. C. W. Mckenny, Mr. C. Montague Ede, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Rev. T. " Pearce, Mr. G. T. Edkins, Mr. 1 Kom-tong, Mr. Chau Siu-ki, D. biggin, Mr. M. P. Talati, Mr. Mok Mr. J. R. Wood, Professor H. G.

fessor F. A. Redmond, Professor Professor M. H. Roffey, Professor | work. J. L. Shellshear, Professor L. G. Forster, Professor J. Anderson, Dr. G. M. Harston, Dr. C. Forsyth, Dr. W. V. M. Koch, Rev. C. B. Shann, Rev. J. Romands Lee, Mr D. G. H. Thomas, Mr. Lai Hsi-chi, Mr. Au Tai-tin, Dr. J. Fenton, Mr. A. S. Hett.

His Excellency the Chancellor having taken his seat and declared the Congregation opened, the

VICE-CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH.

Gentlemen:-We have but one (Applause)-\$50,000 of which was with us as a medical student.

of the usual review of the past purely Chinese interests. Well, I plause). year, to attempt some estimate have no doubt that we shall conof the progress of the University | tinue to receive gifts of similar during the last three years. I substantial amounts from time to shall make the attempt some- time, but may I recommend the ed so short a time as three years in (Applause) The Library itself University as is ours, and has never | of such donations, but it is far from looked forward to spending there being the only direction in which by young Chinese out here, rather much longer period, can really such gifts could be utilized. claim to have been much more than

an on-looker. Re-reading, as I did the other first thing that struck me was the number of forecasts one could make, even in so short a space of time, that still r nain to be fulmuch less rapid than I anti- indeed, has been that, both

sit continued of the value of

only hope that Your Excellency's burning and dangerous impor-Government may think right to tance. help us with the provision of

Generous Benefactions.

our recent appeal simply because whenever conditions should justify at that date it had met with 'no the application. Our discussions we are making of that benefaction not prove successful. I will presently allude. And then, The Vice-Chancellor then ad- only yesterday, I received through Your Excellency, Ladies and \$52,500 from Mr. Fung Ping-shan. loss by death to record dur- to form an addition to our general the year just closed. endowment fund, while \$2,500 was We miss to-day the cheery to be available for the purchase

what in the spirit of the dis-precedent of Mr. Fung's gift to the interested onlooker that in a very Library to well-wishers of the few weeks time I shall admittedly | University who might see their way be, because no one who has pass- to help with smaller sums? a University, even in so young a could absorb an unlimited number

Before I leave the subject of our appeal/let me say that I am conscious that when I go on to describe day, what I have said on previous how much we have been able to do occasions of this kind, perhaps the that was foreshadowed in that appeal without having received in benefactions the sums suggested in the appeal as necessary for those purposes, it may occur to some of filled. I see that, three years ago, you that, of set purpose, we ex-I spoke of the immense possibili- aggerated our real needs. Such is ties of the China that stretches be- in no way the case. The appeal hind the Kowloon hills. For was put forward as representing a need at the outset of good-will on the limits of any such period as I seasons with which a Vice-Chan- ten years' programme, and I have the part of the merchant and of have proposed to spend away from cellor has no concern, those possi- seen no reason as yet for modify bilities seem more remote to-day ing any of the figures it contained. than they did then, but I have not, We have incurred commi lents in for that reason, ceased to have the future that assume a further resfaith in them. I asked you on the ponse to the appeal, and we have same occasion to be prepared to been able to do so because, for the re-adjust your ideas as to the num- first time, we have a reliable system bers of students likely to resort to of accounts and because, as I preyour University, and although dicted three years ago, our Finance there has been a steady increase Committee, once we gained its confrom year to year, I have to con- fidence, has proved ready to take fess that the increase has been reasonable risks. Myown difficulty, cinated. Yet there, again, my Council and in the Finance Comfaith in the future is unshaken, mittee, I have found myself comand I foresee a time when my suc pelled to assume the ingrateful cessor will be seriously embarrass- role of advecatus diaboli and to ed by the number of students for point out the risks incident to exwhom he has to provide. In this penditure that everyone wel- finally be judged by the work of its connection, I noticed the other day comed. We already know the graduates, and there I should like Whooping cough is hard on the child that Your Excellency, speaking on results of last year's working with to assure Your Excellency of the dreadful whooping and coughing with by the Colonial Budget, advocated a sufficient accuracy forme to be able gatisfaction with which some of us Chamberlain's ough Penedy. It in considerable relaxation, of our to say that its accounts will balance listened last night, to some remarks duces equieb sleep but contains up

result impossible.

Staff Conditions.

have been consistently in favour of raw material and because the devoting any money available primarily to the improvement of the terms of service of your staff. The an educational one, only a need for such improvement was in-small part of which can be deed, placed in the forefront of our dealt with in this Colony. appeal and the reasons for that hope has been that that problem at our results still lie in the future, "Teesta," to the Postmaster-Genpossible the adoption of the too little to shew in the end, but I enable my successor to approach They seem to me to be getting a water under the following circumselecting bodies in London for new reputation as well-grounded, re- stances : Whilst hanling boat alongstaff without feeling absolutely liable men, and if I can hear that of side vessel for discharge of mails at our hostel life in binding ashamed of himself. Then we have them I do not, for the moment, the cargo port, the boat touched together students from many dif- seen our way to introducing a want to hear much else. ferent provinces of China, that I superannuation scheme on the That is about what we have acone plank of the boat, which quickly should see such a change with the usual lines and to giving it retro-complished on the spot during the filled with sea water. Every en-

utmost regret, and there are few active effect. And, finally, we have things for which I should be more seen our way—at least for the what I found marked out as our out of boat as quickly as possible. grateful to a generous benefactor present—to relieving our staff from programme when I took over. If by transferring to other cargo boats than an additional hostel. (Ap those heavy passage charges when I were to claim that there has been which were in the vicinity, but I plause). But, whatever my personal proceeding with their families on anything like a radical new de- fear many bags were badly scaked. views, the experiment must be leave that in certain services in the parture during those years, it would After gelting these bags on board partially tried during the current East (and notably in India) are be in connection with the closer they were placed in a suitable place year, for our entry is not yet closed proving a real hindrance to efficiand all of our hostels are completed ency by preventing the taking of establishing with British and other during the passage across to Penang ly full. It is, perhaps, only leave necessary for health. The appropriate that amongst the doing of these things has meant the that I have alluded more than once, weather has been suitable. There victims of the experiment—for so most rigid economy in every other and I hope I shall be excused if I was a rough sea running at the time Sir I should be inclined to call them— direction and, as I have already speak of it again. I was, last when mails were being shipped; should be included the whole of said, it involves increasing comthe Hongkong Government educ- mitments during the next eight or ation students for the year, whose ten years for which provision has names have not yet reached yet to be made, but it means that us: if upon reflection Your staff questions have been reduced Excellency should come to doubt to the level of an ordinary, every tion in China took a most prominent the wisdom of the change, I can day problem instead of being of

Work of the Faculties. third Chair-that of Obstetrics me that I can assure him of the inst. until. and Gynaecology-in the back- warmest welcome from the British ground; and I have been Chambers of Commerce and from Coming to a year ago, I see that authorized by your Court to apply British and other educationalists refused to speak unhopefully of for help in setting up the Chair wherever he may go in China.

Political Science and Law. In Arts, a temporary shortage of staff during last term gave me the privilege of participating in the teaching work of the University in political science and in commercial law. It happens that political science and law are the two subas subjects that ought to be studied than in an English University, and my recent experience has only should be on record. served to confirm me in that view Let meadd that the object in view would be entirely defeated were one content to teach as one would ing work to a successor instead of teach in England. Commercial law carrying it on myself? Primarily. is, I need scarcely say, one of the because the man who occupies my subjects in the commercial course, post when Boxer money first beand I would venture to express comes available will be committed the hope that the creation of that to developments which he cannot. course will prove to have been of in honour, leave at a critical moreal service to the commerce of the ment, and by remaining I might Colony. There will, I know, be find myself committed beyond good-sonse on the part of the raw England. For the moment, the being landed at their risk into the graduate. There are few academic problem calling for solution will hazardous and/or extra hazardous courses which do not require to be be routine educational problems, Godowns of the Hongkong & Kewloon. completed by a practical ap- and I am glad to know that you Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., whence prenticeship, and apprenticeship is have found a successor to me far delivery may be obtained. apt to be a distilusioning process, better qualified for dealing with The roof of the matter is that, while these problems than I have ever we do not, and cannot, turn out pretended to be. And I am congood clerks, our aim is to turn out fident that, whenever Boxer money men capable of becoming good shall become available, you will clerks and, of later on becoming find him entirely qualified to deal very much more. (Applause) with the problems which will then be presented to the Undersigned on or Which has its application in other arise. fields no less than in that of com-

Results Lie In Future.

But a University like ours will miles as to lesidence. I am but we are committed to expendid of yours as to the part you believe marcottes nor other buntal substance. ed our graduates to be destined to Sold and remamended everywheres:

ture for next year which I fear will play in China. Your Excellency render the repetition of a similar referred especially to our doctors and engineers, and I should like to add our schoolmasters, both be-I think you are all aware that I cause it is to them we look for our whole problem is essentially

need were there fully stated. My (Applause). For the most part the Commander of the s.s.

educational effort in China. To bags have been placed on deck when February, privileged to take part this probably accounts for the boat of Associated British Chambers of Commerce at Shanghai, and once more the question of British educaplace in the discussions. The problem under discussion was, of course, that of the application of so much of the Boxer Indemnity additional hostel accommodation. As regards the actual work of the as may be allocated to education, (Applause). Again, I ventured to Faculties I have very little to add and the resolutions arrived at seem speak of the academic calm which to what I said last year. Our one to represent a very serious I believed to be the natural atmos- great, positive advance has been, of contribution—the most serious conphere of a teaching staff. I have course, in the Faculty of Medicine, tribution yet made—to the solution wondered sometimes during the and with full-time professors of of that problem. Let me say that R. M. Gibson, Mr. H. B. L. Dow- past three years whether my me- surgery and medicine actually at those resolutions recognize in the teorological knowledge was as work you have, for the first most generous way the qualifica-Kon-sang, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard, accurate as it might have been: time, the nucleus of a medical tions of this University to take a but I should wish here to pay an school organized on modern lines. foremost place in any scheme that Earle, Professor W. Brown, Pro- unqualified tribute to the whole- (Applause). As you know, there may be evolved. (Applause). hearted devotion of the entire staff have from the beginning of our There is no part of my work I shall Tram Station and the Military

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financial response. And there is with the Acting Principal Civil We have all, I suppose, been reason to believe that my hopes Medical Officer as to the facilities counting on help for our University WANTED-A copy of R. T. will not prove unfounded. It is available at the Government Civil from the Boxer Indemnity, and the University Anthem was played by Hon. Sir Paul Chater presented us two ago in sending in that applical I can say is that, while I see Reply—H., Box 590, G.P. O. with a munificent benefaction of cation, (Applause), and I shall be great possibilities of expansion Hongkong Jany: 1924. \$250,000. (Applause). To the use extremely disappointed if it does which may properly wait until Boxer money shall be available, As regards the Faculty of En- have always felt that what I may gineering we are fortunate in have call the routine development of the dressed the gathering as follows:— the Hon. Mr. Kotewall a cheque for ing with us to-day an expert in the University is a separate matter, The M/S person of Mr. Arthur Preece, and which concerns the Colony alone. I must not unduly anticipate what There is much that I should have he may have to say. Should he liked to see done in the last three having arrived, Consiguess of Cargo propose to compare our modest years in the way of purely routine equipment with that of engineer development, but which I have been presence of Mr. Ng Hon-tze, who, of books for our Library, (Renewed ing schools in England or in the unable to recommend because the I believe, sat on the University Applause). For that gift we can- Dominions, which have behind money was not there, and there is Court from the outset and who, at not thank Mr. Fung Ping-shan too them the support of large industrial much that still remains to be done. the time of his death, was a mem- warmly. For, highly respected as centres, only one answer will be We have received great help from ber of Your Excellency's Legisla- is the place he occupies in the possible. But I am convinced that private benefactors and I have no tive Council. We are glad that his Colony, it is one standing rather we are giving a thoroughly sound doubt we shall continue to do so. daughter. Miss Ng Sui-ha, is still apart from the things that this engineering education and that, But, after all, our principal hene- goods have left the Godowns, and all University represents, and it is no thanks to the John Swire and Ho factor has been the Colonial Gov- goods remaining undelivered after the As I am addressing you from this small encouragement to us to know Tung benefactions, our equipment ernment (Applause). Three years 17th of January 1924, will be subject place for the last time, I imagine that we are gaining-or ought I to has, during the last three years, ago. they put some considerable to rent. that you would prefer me, instead say retaining?—the sympathy of been materially improved. (Ap-sums of money into his enterprise, and the time has, I hope, come when goods are to be left in the Godown, they can be satisfied that they were where they will be examined by well-advised to do so. I am, on the Messre. Goddard & Douglas on the 17th whole, satisfied that they were wise January 1924, at 10 a.m. not to do more at that time, but I am equally satisfied that the time has come, or is rapidly coming when 20th of January 1924, or they will not additional contributions by the be recognized. Colonial Government, carefully made for specific purpose, would jects which I mentioned a year ago be more than justified. I have but little doubt that my successor will by

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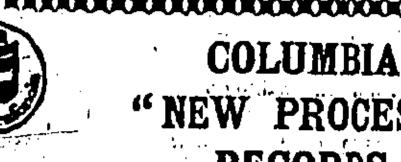
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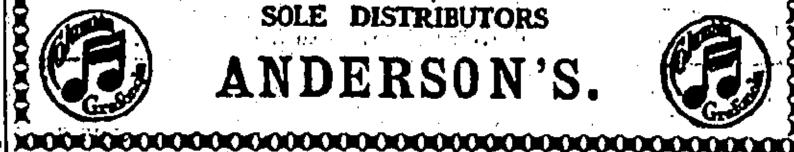
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Feb. 3. -E. & A. St. Albans. Aki Maru. 13.-N.Y.K. 27.-E. & A. Eastern. Apr. 2.-E. A. Arafors 30.-E. A. May 23.-E & A. Kastern. Jan. 12.-L T. Manila Marc. 12.-O.S.K. 13.-P. & O. Mores-Matauvo Mara. 13.-N.Y.K. Atl Mara Pres. Wilson. 13 -N.Y.K. Aki Meru. 17 -B. I. Talma. Pres. Madison.

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HONOLULU. Jan. 13.-P. M. Pres. Wilson. Korea Mara. Feb. 1.-T.K.K. Shinyo Maru. 17.-T.K.K. Mar. 18:-T.K.K. Siberia Maru. Taiyo Maru. 27.-T. K. K. Tenvo Maru. DAIREN. Siberia Maru.

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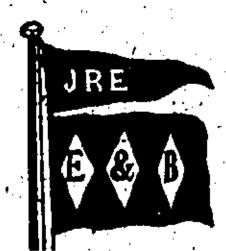
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"CHINA"	7,95 t 19th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antworp
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"KALYAN"	9.118 3rd May	Myseilles, Lindon & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,960   17th May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"CHINA"	7,952	8th Mar.		Moji & Koba
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"ROUDAN"	6,696	8th Apr.	Shanghai	
"KHIVA"	9,097	18th Anr.		i, & Koba.
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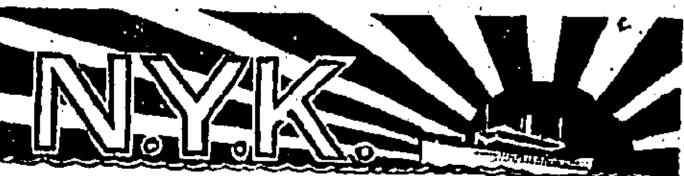
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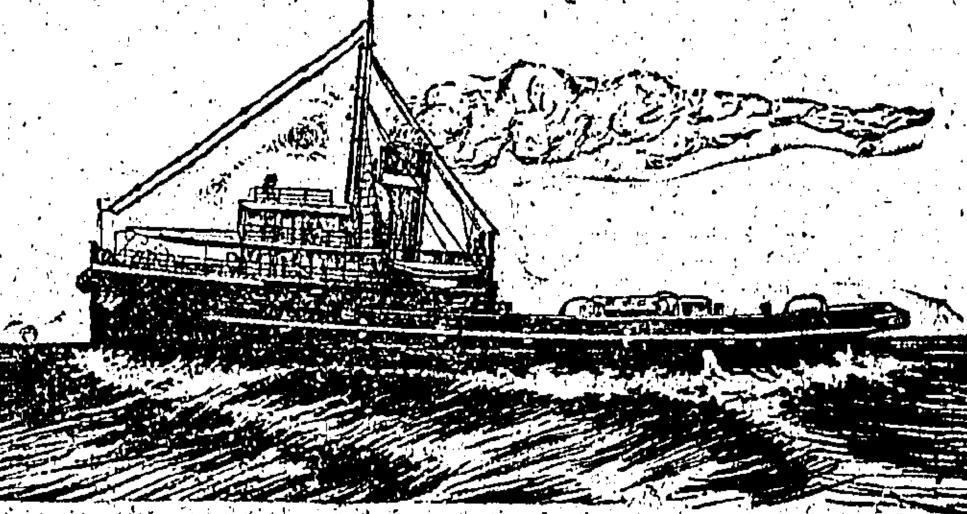
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London, of which Sir Charles first occasion upon which an hon- engineering degrees, and we make sof liberty a destructive tor- kong University affords Chinese London, or which on charge more occasion upon which are not naturally got into the habit of not rent instead of, as the engineer students an opportunity of com-Addis, now an nonorary granuate lorary degree has been given to looking for men who had degrees. would do, turning it into a fertilise pleting their education in their own of two years' standing, is Chaire an engineer. (Applause). I have looking for men who had degrees. would do, turning it into a fertilise pleting their education in their own man. The firm of which he is the not done really very much in Eng- I am glad to say, however, that ing stream. man. The firm of which he is the not done really very much in engaged that is all past history, and now Sir Charles Addis, two years time to time visit their own home senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some and they can from the senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some and they can from the senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some and they can from the senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some and they can from the senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that is all past history, and now some senior partner are our honorary land, but what I have done or my that have done or Consulting Engineers in London, firm has done is of small account; we practically insist-I do in all ago, gave you a most admirable and the voluminous correspon- compared with the honour done to- 1 my' appointments—that dence which has passed through day to an engineer. I have done assistants appointed should have a of a university is to act as a guide my hands, if not always perfectly altogether some ten years' work degree of Bachelor of Science for life, to unfold in morality, in ties and advantages offered to intelligible to me, enables me to for the University, and I hope it and Engineering. I hope science and in art the unity Chinese students the University of bear witness to the time and care will be my privilege to do dnother Sir, that this will improve of human spirit and the they have ungrudgingly devoted ten years. Your laboratories, conto our interests without fee or re- sidering the means at your disward, and to our great benefit. posal, are excellent. I am not (Applause). Mr. Preece, to my going to hide from you, Sir, the knowledge, has been our adviser fact that they are capable of conalmost more than our agent, and siderable improvement, but that This wide experience, especially as can only be effected by further Consulting Electrical Engineer to funds and further help from manuthe Crown Agents, is a guarantee facturers and others. You here that no better adviser could be are very much indebted to the thing necessary to complete his lilemen in Hongkong, but in other qualifications was a personal visit Colonies and, I understand, at to the University. It is fortunate, Home. You have also had preon power schemes of first-rate im- from a very large number of Briportance should have brought him lish manufacturers, and I hope as as far as Singapore, and that he the result of further appeals it

Chipa. (Amblause).

Descript Conferred. With Vice Chancellor then prekanned Mr. Arthur Preece and Mr. Tro Seen-wan for the degrees of Doctor of Laws ( Honoris Causas), and the conferment by Mis, Ex-

cellency the Chancellor was accompanied by loud and prolonged

Degrees of Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery were conferred upon the following graduates, who were presented by the It is, Sir, one of the privileges of | Dean of the Faculty: Chan Sekching, Mok Tai-tin, Shin Lokshang, (in absentia).

MR. PREECE'S REPLIES. Mr. Arthur Preece, who was re-

(Applause). The one generous action, not only of genindeed, that the duty of advising sentations of plant and apparatus

should have been willing to ex- will be possible to get more. But tend his tour to Hongkong to re- I hesitate to press too much, beceive the honorary degree that for cause it may seem ungenerous to several years past we have desired be always begging, especially for to confer upon him. (Applause), applied science and for engineer-Mr. Tso's services have been ing; but I do not think people rendered in Hongkong itself, and realise the enormous rapidity I trust that I shall be committing with which engineering, especially no indiscretion if I state that his electrical engineering, has admame was put forward for an vanced. That which a few years honorary degree more especially ago was considered of merely by the representatives of Chinese academic interest becomes nowaopinion. (Applause). It will be days an applied science. In a few needless for me to add that we years applied science becomes others, who knew his work, were sense, and in a few more years prove themselves further, if they most glad to concur. Mr. Tso, as I common sense. The public are understand, did yeoman service showing an ever increasing interest for the University in early days, in in scientific matters and the only collaboration with some of our well thing you, as a University, can do, In later days he was a member of the intelligence of the public. I re- but as an engineer I am brought ing a University Education; was one that the hostel system insisted apon the Sharp Commission to which we member some time ago seeing daily into association with the of the hopes I had long cherished; by the University Authorities is owe so much. Thave myself known some examination papers and also necessity for, and the means and and when the scheme was launched a most important factor in the wellhim as displaying the keenest in- some of the answers that were methods of utilising, the resources ed forth by Sir Frederick Lugard being of the students. By resiterest in every University move- sileged to have been given. One of nature for the service of man, after the magnificent and generous dence in, a hostel students learn ment, and by none will the question was: "What is physics, We are here on the borders of an offer of Sir Hormusjee Mody it discipline and moral lessons, and conferment of this degree be more what is electricity and what is immense country in which the image gave me the greatest delight, and I being in close touch with their

every few years. The Engineering Faculty. Now I should like to refer to the should proceed hand in hand Engineering Faculty separately in that great country,

public realise that the examiners under the wing of the wise, bene- Hongkong the Pioneer. are in London and the papers have ficent and reliable Government of Hongkong was really the pioneer all been sent to London; therefore a British Colony, a real live agency of Western education in the Far the degree of bachelor of Science for the betterment of millions. East, (Applause). In time past

Smith was only Home this, last (Applause). year and a great deal of his time was devoted to explaining the aims of this University to manufacturers hope of getting something given to

your workshops and to your laboratories. (Applause). Now, before I leave that, I should like to say and especially in electrical work. that it does seem to me that the I would like particularly to em growth of technical schools is a phasise the fact that I learnt nothing necessity of the times, but I do not at my college which was applicable education. The foundation of the myself see why the technical to the modern advance in a general Hongkong University came at a school should not be combined way. You must go on educating most opportune time and supplied with the University. It would be yourself. To do any good in this a great and urgent demand. To in my humble opinion, a waste of world as engineers you must learn, intending students it offers most money to equip technical schools when you already have the nucleus of a very fine technical laboratory here, and there should be, I think, no trouble in arranging for techni-University. (Applause).

dangerous ground in following the merit in examinations. Success is three here. lecturers. There is no doubt whatever that the explanation of knotty points to another student will

Degrees Insisted Upon.

sity itself, my conception ward in the pursuit of goodness, of its work as an engineering of beauty and of truth. Now it it college is not to train engineers as your privilege to follow that high rivals to Western engineers. I feel ideal. Carry out your work that the sphere of this University righteously and in accordance with is to train engineers amid the sur- that dignity which is the due of a roundings of China, already con- noble profession. (Applause). versant with the language, conversant with the customs and ripe to

observation. The Chinese studen student. He picks up things very again has to unlearn a great more Hongkong University."

wasted. There does not seem done, and I can only regardit as an dents from their schools the conto me to be any reason at all why honour to all those Chinese gentle- tinuity of moral training which in Hongkong, Shanghai, Hankow and other big cities students in helping to bring the University should not obtain a great deal of Scheme, when projected, into practical work, and I do not honest- realization. (Applause). ly see that they are going to imare in China by going for some tion to the Chinese and bringing period to the West.

#### China's Neods.

warmly welcomed than by our magnetism?" One of the young provement of life is a crying identified myself completely with warden and professors, when out students, if I may judge by the students replied: Physics is pills necessity. I feel that it is it welcome always accorded to him and things, electricity is what goes premature to attempt to create hope. When acting as secretary to the welcome always accorded to min and market the telegraph wires and or to create modern ideas in the Chinese Sub-Committee which was at hostel gatherings I have been along the telegraph wires and minds of millions whose chief appointed to collect subscriptions privileged to attend. (Applause) makes signals, and magnetism is thought makes algorithm and magnetism is thought makes algorithm. He is a convinced supporter of the stuff you mix with thubarb to thought must be to secure to from Chinese for the University women's education and has sent cure a pain in your inside." morrow's food. The struggle for Endowment Fund I had the opporbis daughter to us as a piedge of (Laughter). That is impossible life in China is too great, and tunity of learning Chinese opinion his belief. Let me add, in conclus- nowadays to any youth of fifteen patriotism lies dormant in conse on the new project. Although fon that Mr. Tso is a living proof or sixteen, and only goes to show quence. We ought, in my humble some were inclined to think that a That there are exceptions to the that what were the deeper things opinion to first create the means University for Chinese should be proposition I advanced a year ago in our days are now the simplest for producing food, for improving in China, I can assure you, Sirs, that a Chinese boy educated things. The growth of scientific health and conditions of life, before in England will lose touch with matters, is so rapid that it is anything else can be successfully absolutely essential, if you wish to achieved. I suggest, sir, that the teach the students, you must give Doctor who applies the resources them moderit apparatus and of civilisation for the benefit of practically replace your apparatus human nature, and the engineer I who applies the resources for the benefit of civilisation.

from the others, because that is the China, and if they are allowed to that, when the arguments in favour one I have the greater interest in. go ahead together, then there can of Hongkong were put before I am informed that in the last seven be no doubt as to the improvement them, one and all acknowledged that are graduated and 30 have achieved honours. I do not think that the University the means of making, scheme,

and Engineering is exactly the Here we can educate the man born it provided for China, men with same as that given in London, and bred in the country already Western knowledge, many of (Applause). The reports that are familiar with local difficulties as whom occupied distinguished posireceived from these examiners are regards language, customs, mater-tions in the Chinese Government most gratifying to the professor, ials and climate. Surely it is an service, and I have no doubt and I do think it is only object which is worthy of the most through their influence and advice right that I should say mysself that a great debt is due
to the Talkoo Professor of EnEastern Colonies? I feel, Sir, that
cordial and friendly. gineering for the interest he takes this University must and will be- By its geographical position,

A Word to the Students.

One word more, particularly to and to others interested, in the the students. It is 37 or 38 years since I was a student, and since then I have seen an immense advance in all engineering work, learn, learn. You will never real and substantial advantages. finish. It is not a hopeless From the very outset it saves a task, because it comes naturally student the large sum of money after a time, but you must bear in he would have to spend on travelmind as engineers that you cannot ling if he seeks his education no trouble in arranging for technic keep a soft comfortable job unabroad. The cost of living here cal classes to be given in this fine less you continue keeping yourself is lower than that obtaining abroad, up-to-date. Success as an en- and it is generally estimated that There is also this point, Sir, - and gineer does not come necessarily the cost for educating one student here perhaps I may be treading on to those who merely acquire abroad can well cover the cost for

only as an engineer, and not as an as well as to training. On this students the means of obtaining a educated man at all, it does seem platform I do not suppose that high standard of education, which to methere are immense advantages many of us did much in examina- is equivalent to that of Western in the hostel system, and I should tions. (Laughter) But we have Universities, and degrees, which regret very much to find that there all of us, I think, had our was any necessity to house students opportunities, and we have taken outside. The hostel system should full advantage of them. Now you vision of a large number of scholbe, if possible, extended, and the have to do exactly the same. You arships many of the brilliant youths students kept as far as possible to- may not see these opportunities, of China will not now or hereafter gether so that they may benefit by but they will come to you and you be barred for financial reasons the constant discussions and argu- have to make the best of them. We from getting such an education. ments upon points which are raised by their professors in the physical needs of the world and we physical needs of the world and we must leave the moral, political and other needs to others. The engineer Europe or America for a degree knows that he has to recognise the must of necessity reside there for mean a great deal of improvement. reality of things, to be practical and a number of years. During a to appreciate that, the laws of period of long absence from home It is frequently alleged that we nature and of economics are he may lose touch of the feelings

engineers of experience are apt to inimitable and beyond his and sympathies of his own regard degrees obtained at power to change. Above all he people. By long residence Universities somewhat lightly, knows how to exercise control not he inevitably becomes greatly There has been some truth in only of himself, but of nature, of changed, and, imbibing the this in the past, I admit, but it is materials and of labour. You have manners and customs of his adopthave been rendered by Mr. Tso Seen-wan in Senate. Ladies and Gentlemen, I entirely due to the fact that we to learn to keep control. Now the ed country, he may become denawery different spheres. (Applause) appreciate most highly the honour elderly men had not the advantage politician seems to me to have lost tionalized. This is indeed much to rery different spheres. (Applause) appreciate most nightly the nonour of a University training. In our all sense of control, and in his be deplored and must be desire to reach unattainable ideals. of our Consultative Committee in to-day. This, I understand, is the day none of the Universities gave desire to reach unattainable ideals avoided. But now the Hong-

Mr. TSO'S SPEECH. The speech of Mr. Tso Seen-wan, do work in China. I feel also that who was present but suffering from it is a mistake to send students to a severe cold, was read by the the West except for purposes of Registrar, and was as follows: year by year, of the number Your Excellency, Mr. Viceis exactly the same as a British Chancellor, Ladies and Gentlemen, I thank your Excellency heartily quickly, but if he goes to England for the high honour you have conhe picks up things unconsciously ferred on me, and you Mr. Vice- the two Missionary Hostels, the which are of no use to him when Chancellor, for the very kind he comes back. I feel that a stu-remarks in which you have refer which are full to overflowing. dent who spends too much time red to the small services I have in the West, when he comes back been able to render to the

than half of what, he has I do not feel that I deserve such is a great honour for the little I have men who were associated with me

The establishment of a University it within easy reach (both in the to endow this Building Fund and sense of 'distance and financial relieve the pressure of this urgent means) of all those who desire to need. (Hear, hear). Now Sir, I am not a politiciant embrace the opportunity of acquir- I should like to point out here

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Boxer Indemnity and Education.

Opinions have recently been published in the press as to the best use of the British share of the Boxer Indemnity when released by the British Government to China. I have no hesitation in saying that the whole sum should be devoted to the education of the Chinese people. (Applause). On this money I feel that the Hongkong University should have a large claim. Any suggestions now made as to the administration of this fund would only provoke concomes to be administered I trust the Hongkong University will have a big voice in the matter. (Ap-

plause).

as to their future and what is ex- the women escaped pected of them. The success of the University has been entirely came in at the front and due to the spirit of sacrifice, cooperation, and magnanimity manifested by those gentlemen who took a great interest in China and the Chinese. It was impossible to accept Sir Homusjee Mody's generous offer without these gentlemen (both European and Chinese alike) coming forward and nobly subscribing to the Endowment Fund. It was impossible to carry on and extend its work of usefulness without the Hongkong Government making an enormous grant of money after the University Commission had made its recommendations; and I trust that by the generosity of gentlemen, like Mr. Fung Ping Shan who has given the generous donations announced to-day by the Vice-Chancellor, the University will go on extending the scope of

its work. . Well, gentlemen, you are the recipient of all the benefit of this magnanimity and generosity and the only return you are expected to make is to show to others the same spirit of sacrifice, co-operation and magnanimity as is now shown to you. China is an old country possessing a grand history of the past. (Applause). What great principles and discoveries have been made no one can fully realize. But what of them now? The answer is that they simply died with their discoverer without the principle of such discoveries being made known to others. Sir Benjamin Baker constructed the Forth Bridge, one of the great engineering feats of the world. upon the principle of a Chinese carrying his pole. Be observant therefore and don't despise a thing because it is Chinese.

China now needs modern science to help her in her development and to relieve the sufferings of her teeming millions from famine, flood and disease. In her present state of development she is but a child and you are the blood of that child. If the blood be good and pure the child thrives and develops quickly; otherwise it will stop in

its growth. -Selfishness is the canker of such blood. Many a good scheme has been frustrated by selfish ends.

When you are called upon to serve you must keep in view the good you are doing to others. You will have perhaps to make sacrifices in doing that good. The best way to serve one's own country is by enlightening its people and by showing others good personal ex-

ample. The Hongkong University now provides you with a sure and sound foundation upon which will have to build your own edifice. edifice be one capable only of supporting one person it can scarcely be said to be a building at all and it is uscless, but if it be a large and strong one affording protection to many, then that structure is not only a credit to you.but an honour

to your University. Gentlemen, I wish you and the University every prosperity and success. (Applause).

The Chancellor having declared the congregation closed, the ceremony concluded.

SHAN TROUBLE. eight o'clock.

TRAFFIC NOW RESUMED

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Merchents have resumed business and shops have re-opened their doors in Shelt-ki, capital of the Houngshan district which adjoins Macao. The launch-towed trading junk-ferries which ply between that port and Hongkong, have resumed their services.

Poople from the district report burden and a curse. considerable losses. Enforced stoppaga of harvesting the rice crop, following the recent campaign, has wrought much bardship.

who was once expelled by the one meets a liar or a coward." Yunnanese and latterly by Admiral Chan Chale, allogedly on the orders British in those little lads gathered of Dr. Sun for non-remittance of funds to Canton, has been reinstated. Some are tearful, but most of them by the Generalissimo who has fight back the tears; and propare 'ordered Admiral Chan's victorious hemselves to face any issue rather forces to retire back to Kongmoon. I han raise the white flag.

#### YAUMATI AFFAIR.

ARMED ROBBERY SEQUEL.

As the sequel to an affair which occurred at Yaumati on Armistice Chief Justice (Sir William Rees Davies) and a jury at firing at the police.

From the brief outline of the has promised to release as soon as facts given by Mr. A. Dyer Ball, the ewners put in a claim. Yaumati, and, locking up two the 1st and 3rd divisions. women in a cubicle, stole a quantthe back door as the telephoned to the Yaumati police station. Three Chinese, police came on the scene shortly afterwards, and as the robbers emerged from the house they called on them to stop. Some of the men pulled

out revolvers and there was exchange of shots. robbers eventually running the crowded through streets. The lukongs lost sight of them and Inspector McWalters and Sergeant Knowles went after them in a motor car. They stopped the car at an open space at the top of Canton Road where there was a light railway and a nullah and while Sergt. Knowles was speaking to a couple of Indian constables he saw a man run across in front of the car. He chased him along the light railway and caught him. As the man was running, Sergeant Knowles saw make a movement with left hand and later a revolver was found on the railway line nearby. The revolver was loaded with three

misfired. A singlet upon which there were certain stains was sent for analysis and Government Analyst hadreported that the stains consisted mineral oil containing traces of iron and nitrate—the sort of stain | son. usually found in the harrel of a recently cleaned firearm.

rounds in the magazine and one

This man, said Mr. Dyer Ball, was the prisoner, whom one of the. Chinese constables had identified | Richards and T. W. Rowell. as being one of the robbers. In a statement made after his arrest I was arrested by the police". Mr. May House, G. Bond. Dyer Ball pointed out that this about the affair at Portland Street.

The hearing of evidence is pro Stewart.

#### SELDOM A LIAR.

A CHILDREN'S COURT.

Mr. J. A. R. Cairns, the metropolitan police magistrate who presides over Thames Police Court. recounts "further experiences and reflections" in "The Sidelights of

London," (Hutchinson, 16s.) He likens London's crowded life to a symphony, "some of which experience has taught me tounder-

There are parts of it so dreadful that it makes me shudder and grow afraid; there are parts so tender. so full of faith, and hope and love that the music seems to be an echo of the golden harps of God. The dock of a London police

court is a "great confessional, and priestly office of granting or refusing Absolution."

Every man is a potential felon, and most of us already have com- E'en urge me live anew? mitted misdemeanours. The only people who are superlatively Tell me why we're similes The thing that causes them surprise blood is a continuing wonder.

HIS OWN "CRIMES." The law, he notes, forbids buying cigarettes or chocolates after Willy should I pine for Sunday?

I confess I have bought both without a twinge of conscience. I have smoked in non-smoking compartments until rebuked, and under menaces I have obeyed the law, and I have driven a motor-car with-

out a licence in my pocket. He vents a righteous detestation of slums and of all they mean. It is impossible to exaggerate the horrors of overcrowding. . . . . It is a horror by day and by night.

Children are not beckened with love, nor are they welcomed into the dirty slums. They are a In a chapter marked with acute

sympathy and understanding, Mr. Cairns paints the "lights and shadows of a children's court." It appears that Ju Chouk-man There he says, "it is seldom that There is something splendidly out of the back streets and alleys.

#### FOOTBALL AND **GUNBOATS.**

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Konomoon, January 9. 'Admiral Chan Chak has withdrawn all his troops from Shek-ki, Day, a Chinese named Chun Wing- which is now in the hands of Ju kong was presented before the Chouk-man's troops, but Ju himself is at Canton. Young Kat, the Chairman of the Shek-ki Chamber the of Commerce, fled after having sat criminal session to-day on several on the magisterial bench for three counts which included participa- days. All Chan's gunboats are now tion in an armed robbery and at Pak-kai Kongmoon's port. Chan has in his possession a number. of commandeered launches which he

in charge of the Crown case, it That much-defeated general, thing more but that when the fund appeared that at about 630 p.m. on Work, Ming-tong, has been attacked November II four robbers en- at Sunning and all his fighting imtered a house at 145 Porland Street, plements have been taken away by play distinctly in favour of the Club,

Mr. Tse Ching-yew, has been office and improvements have been tered the Army forwards. promised. The telephone company time score Club 1, Army nil. at Kongmoon and San-wui city has charged an extra \$1 per number.

Football is very popular at Pakkai and Kongmoon. A new ground, offered by Admiral Chan Chak, will soon be ready at Pak-kai. team from the oil companies here beat the Customs eleven by 5 goals to 1 and Keding Wah Club (young merchants) beat the Kai Chee School by 3 to 1. The Rev. Mr. Broadfoot referred effeciently.

#### CENTRAL BRITISH SCHOOL

TIMS AFTERNOON'S SPORTS.

holding its annual sports this afternoon on the Kowloon Cricket Club's ground. Many parents and others interested in the school were present and the afternoon was made plea-\scoring this in his usual manner sant by the efforts of the East after having apparently crawled Surrey's hand which enlivened the through half a dozen of his opponproceedings with music.

The officials were :in the breach which had evidently J. P. Robinson. D. W. Salter, outside left being always dangerous,

T. W. Hall and F. Jenner. Clerks of the Course.-Messrs. A. W. E. Davidson, D. Morgan The House Captains this year

he said: "They opened fire and | Boys.-Nathan House, W. Jen-Girls.-Bede House, P. White-

Wheeler; St. Dunstan's House, J.

#### SANS CHANT. PAROLES

(To my Unknown Rose.)

Let me know the reason why LIGHTS AND SHADOWS OF Each passing day we meet, and every street No longer tire the feet, but seem so sweet—

A track 'neath Heaven's sky?

Rara Aris, tell me why see you in my dreams, and why it To me that you are mine, forever

E'en though the world may lie.

Tell me why a glance from you Or a serene, sad smile, make life worth while, Make me retract my ways from

fallen grace— E'on fill my eyes with dow.

How is it that thoughts of you to the magistrate is given the Every day at vesper come and whisper. Recall my purest thought, my soul

to God—

immune are Treasury Counsel. And love all of those things, that knowledge brings, is human nature, and warm, red The landscape of the dawn, the sun-lit morn-Or music's captured bliss?

Is it because you'll be, somewhere Mine, mine, for once, all mine-

Unknown divine?-Till then with Tennyson I'll sing. Thy voice is on the rolling air; I hear thee where the waters run; Thou standest in the rising sun; And in the setting thou art fair.

-H. M. SILVA.

The A.O.L. s.s. " Bakerefeld " which is due at this port on Feb 3 sailed from. Seattle on Dec. 29 un schedule. The B. F. s.s. "Promethous" laft Liverpoot on Dec. 22 for Singapore, Hongkong and Japan and is due here on or about Jan. 80. Liverpool on Dec. 29 for Singapore, Hopgkong and Shanghai and is due here The B. F. s s. "Atrons" left Liverpool on Jan. 8 for Hongkong, Shanghai and Japan and is due here on or about Feb.

HOCKEY.

CLUB v. ARMY XI.

(Contributed.)

This match was played yesterday and resulted in a fairly comfortable player. win for the Club by 8 goals to nil. Woodward during the first b ing for them next week.

the Hockey field "individualistic both games next week. effort."

The remainder of this half was squewhat scrappy from a spectators' point of view, with the balance of the chief reason for the Club's superiority being the manner in I should like to say a few words ity of jewellery and money. A man transferred from Youngkong to take which their halves particularly I should like to say a few words who lived in the house with charge of the Kongmoon Telegraph Mitchell and Sims completely mas THE Steamship

> At the commencement of the second half one noticed the Club forces had diminished. Plummer who had been playing at outside right having left the field owing to a twisted ankle. However, this

winger being little felt. Mid-way through this half the Club forwards improved considerably when finding themselves in their opponents circle, with the result that once from a pretty centre Goods remaining undelivered after by Owen Hughes after some fine The Central British School is work on this player's part, Woodward added number two for the

This player also was responsible for the Club's third and last goal.

ents' legs. One might think from the above Judges .- Mr. G. Franklin Night- that the Army were completely ingale (Headmaster) and Messrs. A. over-run. This however was not the Dransfield, W. Joseph, A. G. Mc- case the Army forwards especially by Clay, J. McCubbin, W. Reeve, Newton-King, Walker and their H. E. Stevens and C. W. Thomp- | Walker in particular having hard luck twice in not scoring, being only Statters.-Messrs. W. Foulds, prevented from doing so by some excellent goal-keeping on the part of Hamilton:

Final score :--Club 3, Army uil. EASY WIN.

One of the Regimental Teams of I ran away. When I ran, ner; Lugard House, C. Evans; the Surrey's had no difficulty in dis-I posing of the Club second string at the Grenadiers ground Kowloon, seemed to show that he knew all ley; St. George's House, V. vesterday afternoon. The first half the Club was decidedly lucky; having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by although the soldiers certainly had was by the Surrey's after about a quarter of an hour's play, followed up by one more before the half obtained. closed. The second half started off better for the Club who were pressby a quick one from the Club, Hyde rent.

another, to the list, but it was just | will not be recognised. a lull the soldiers walking through! the defence and scoring two more Goods are to be left in the Godowns, before the end. The Surreys won where they will be examined on any five goals to two. For the Club the Tuesdays or Fridays between the outstanding player was the Rev. N. hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon, within Evans who played a fine game at the free storage period of one week. centre half.

COMMENT ON THE GAMES. Yesterday for the first time this by year the Club played two elevens once again, and had divided success, the first winning while the second were rather badly beaten.

The Club did not have out its full strength, although it put two toams in the field and should do better when some of the better players who were not on the lists yesterday fill

the ranks. For the first eleven the halves again played their usual splendid game although minus Hett, Woodafternoon on the U.S.R.C. ground ward being the outstanding forward

The second eleven was weak in The writer was not present to see the back line-but should do much the first goal scored for the Club by better when they got Beecher play-

minutes of the game, but under- It is hoped that two matches will stands this was a characteristic again be arranged for next Wedneseffort of Woodward's bringing out day. Come on members, turn out in full force his chief attraction on and see if the H.K.H.C. can't win

-STICKS.

#### CONSIGNEES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, VENICE, BRINDISI. SPALATO, MASSAUA, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

made little difference to the Club's | MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby attack as Owen Hughes crossed U informed that all Goods are being over from the left and occupied this landed at their risk into the position; a wise decision on Mit- Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowchell's part as most of the game was loon Wharf and Godown Company, on this wing the absence of a left Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given

before 5th inst. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all the 11th inst. will be subject to rent, All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 21st inst. or they will

not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns. where they will be examined on the 11th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countereigned

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Hongkong, 6th January, 1924

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

"ELLERMAN" LINE. FROM UNITED KINGDOM & CONTINENT.

THE Steamship

"CITY OF CANTERBURY" her are informed that all goods are being the best of the play. The first score landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of Holt's Wharf, whonce delivery may be

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all ing, but the soldiers again managed Goods remaining undelivered after to score first. This was followed up 15th January, 1924, will be subject to

All claims against the Steamer must The Club were having the better | be presented to the Undersigned on or of the game now and Mycock added before 22nd January, 1924, or they

All broken, chafed and damaged

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED, General Agents. Hongkong, January, 9, 1924.

#### must win the \$50!—Why not you? RULES FOR THE NEW CONTEST.

The new rules are as follows:-Cut out the coupon given below. Fill in the TWELVE best liked movie stars, male or female. Send the coupon to the China Mail office marked "Yote."

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nor do they limit their choice to pictures shown

in Hongkong. With \$50 waiting to be won, this

is exciting enough; but the contest again has

extra interest because the management of the

Coronet Theatre, who are offering the prize

again this week, announce that they will follow

the voting in securing new pictures. Some one

This week's contest is entirely different from the ones that have gone

This week's voting contest follows the new

laid down last week. Competitors

for the twelve best liked movie stars.

do not select from any given list,

POPULAR MOVIE

The result will be announced in the China Mail on Wednesday next Members of the China Mail staff and employees of the Coronet Theatre are debarred from entering the contest.

.The decision of the Editor upon any points which may arise shall be final.

REACHING THE VERDICT. Each star you name in your coupons will get points, according to the

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Thus the star you put first get twelve points and the star you? put

last only one point. The star polling the highest total number of points will rank first in the general vardict.

The star with the next highest total number of points will come second, and so on until the twelve stars have all been placed.

### FINDING THE WINNER

Each coupon sent in will then be checked over with the general verdict. Every time you coupen has one of the twelve stars in the general verdict you will be awarded points.

These points will wary according to the position the star occupies in the denoral worder and according to the position you give him or her in your coupon. You will get twelve points if your coupon has the star who comes first in the general wordict. If your coupon has this star correctly placed in the first position you

will get 144 points (12 x 12.)

If you have put the star second you will get 182 points (12×11); third 120 points (12×10); fourth 108 points (12×9); fifth 96 points (12×8); sixth 8% points (12×7); seventh 72 points (12×6); eighth 60 points (12×5); ninth 48 points (12  $\times$  4); tenth 86 points (12  $\times$  8); elerenth 24 points (12  $\times$  2); and twelfth 12 points (12×1.) If your coupon includes the star coming second in the general vardict

you will get eleven points, multiplied in exactly the same way as above according to the position you give the star in your coupon. The same principle applies to every star in the general wordict down to the twelfth. All your points will be added up, and the coupon with the highest number

of points will win the prite. This system was excited by an eminent London firm of chartered accountants for the biggest contest of this kind over held entailing over 6,000,000

## CUT THIS OUT

To the Editor January 10, 1924. China Mail. Hongkong. I consider the following the twelve best

liked movie stars:-Please write clearly in block letters.

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Miss Ida L. Woolworth has applied to the Federal Civil Service Commission for appointment as Postmaster of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Division of the Postal Service, and many helieve she will be named.

Miss Woolworth is a graduate of the Brooklyn Law School, class of
1905, and was the first woman named to the staff of the New York

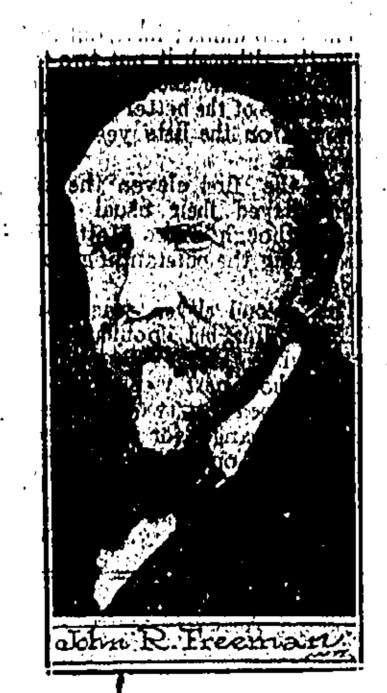
State Corporation Counsel's office. She has had much legal experience and has been an ardent worker for woman's suffrage for many years.



Getting Ready.



Above is pictured the little home in Niles, Trumbull County, Ohio in which William McKinley, martyred President of the United States, was born in 1843. The simple homestead is a shrine dear to the hearts of Americans and is being carefully preserved.



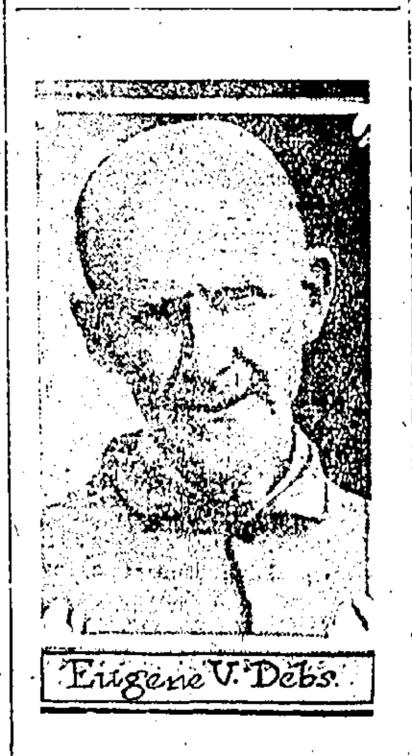
John R. Freeman, of Providence R.I, was awarded the gold medal of the American Society of Me-chanical Engineers for eminent services to engineering and manufacturing in fire prevention and preservation of property." Mr. Freeman's efforts in the development of a system of rules and inspection have, the society's announcement stated, saved millions of dollars in industry.



United States Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, has definitely announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the Presidency this year on progressive lines.



of the post. His removal was ordered by Dictator Primo Rivera, following his assertion that, under the Constitution, the Cortes must be convoked within 90 days after the dissolution of the old Cortes.



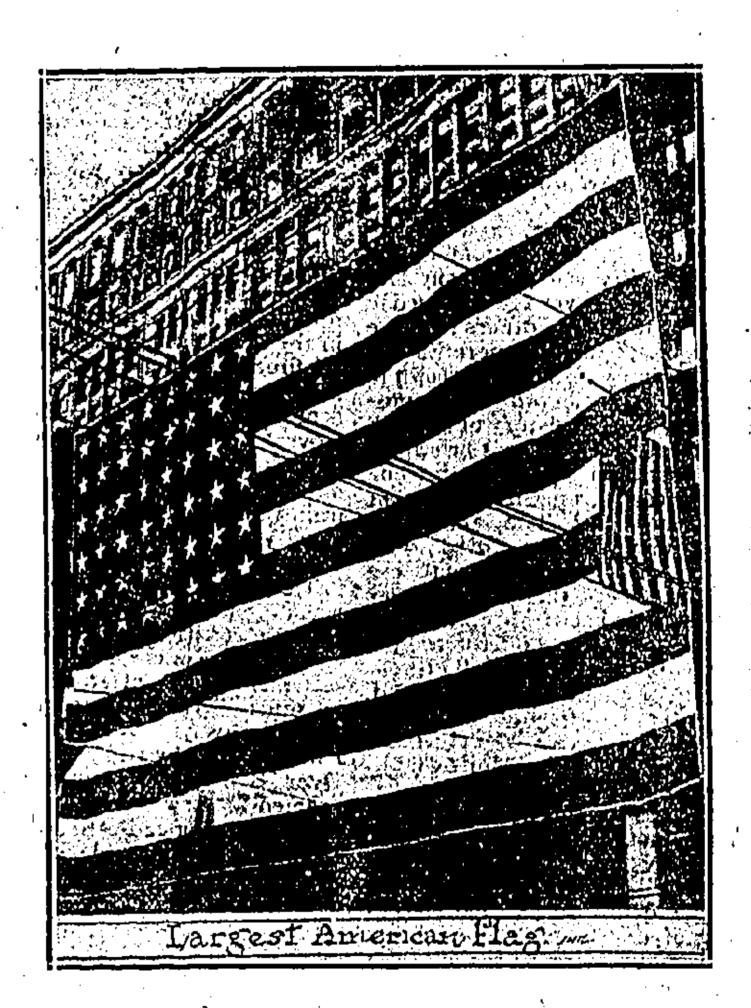


Amelita Galli-Curci, coloratura from among more than 30 soprano of the Chicago Opera company, has severed her contection, with that organization. While her contract will hold her the been selected to participate in the flight across the North Pole, and the flight across the North Pole, the flight across the North Pole, and the flight across the North Pole, the flight across the North Pole, and the flight across the North Pole, the flight across the North Pole, the flight across the flight ac in Madrid, Count Romanones, new it. Disagreement over the which is to be attempted by President of the Senate and opera in which she was to make Captain Raold Amundsen, famous former Premier, has been relieved her 1923 debut caused the breach. Arctic explorer.





Mary Bevan, shown above, did not have to be pretty to get herself before the public. Her face is her fortune. She was heralded and exhibited by the late P. T. Barnum as "The World's Ugliest Woman." She was photographed as she sailed for Europe, after a protracted tour of America.



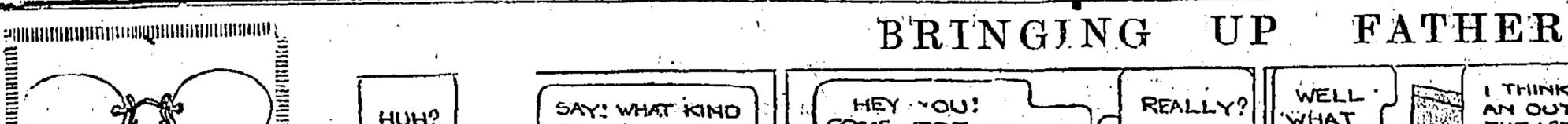
The largest American flag in the world has been hung in Detroit, Mich. It is 90 by 150 feet and covers the entire front of the Hudson Building in that city.



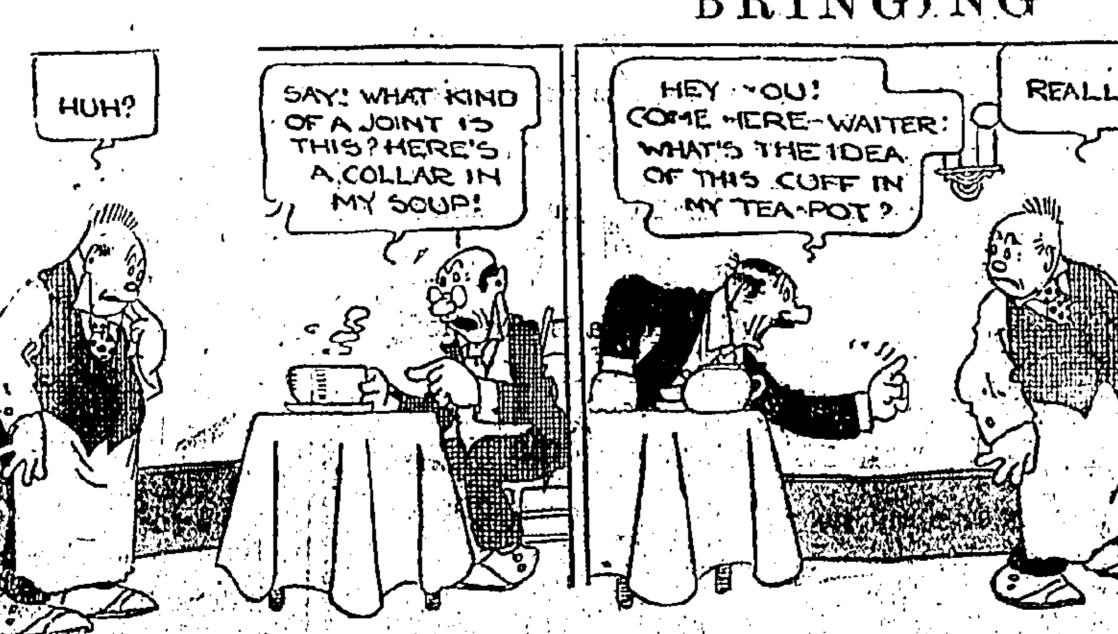
chief of the radical element in America, is dangerously ill of a heart ailment at his home in Terre Haute, Ind.

Premier Stanley Baldwin, former Premiers H. H. Asquith and Indicate the prime Minister's post in 1916, and Gene Tunney, of New York, matched to fight a 15-round decision fight for the American light matched to fight a 15-round decision fight for the American light matched to fight a 15-round decision fight for the American light matched to fight a 15-round decision fight for the American light matched to fight a 15-round decision fight for the American light heavyweight championship. The battle took place in Madison Square Garden, New York City, on the night of December 10, with Tex have reconciled their differences and joined forces, under Asquith.

Rickard as promoter.



Do you experience difficulty when reading at night?— If so you should consult an eye specialist. Then E reading by lamplight will be pleasure, not an infliction. Your sight is also protected. CHINESE OPTICAL CO. EXPERT OPTOMETRISTS AND OPTICIANS 47 Queon's Boad Central.







(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) And a morning of the form "DIXMUDE" WRECKAGE

DISCOVERED.

PARIS, Johnsey 8. 'Advices from Bizerto state that the despatch boat "Escaut," which is scarching for the wreckage of the 'Dixmude,' has recovered in the sea a charred body with tattered fragments of a French Naval uniform clinging to the body. A mass of wreckage was also discovered, including a quantity of metallic fabric, seeming to confirm the theory that the nirship was blown to pieces by an explosion and hurled into the

#### GERMAN SEAMEN STRIKE.

LONDON, January B. The strike of German scamen at Hull to enforce the Maritime Board rate of wages, has extended to

Landon. The National Seamen's and Firemen's Unions, which are supporting the men, report that a large ship is held up at Victoria Docks owing to the German erew striking for British rates of pay.

#### LONDON DOCK FIRE.

London, January 8. Approximately one thousand tons of rubber were burned in the London Dock fire.

#### DUTCH STEAMER DISABLED.

BREST, January S. The Dutch steamer "Rondo. bound for Balavia, is disabled having broken her propeller shaft. A Dutch ing is towing her in.

#### UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES.

LONDON, January 8. Unemployed in Great Britain on December 31 totalled 1,250,000, an increase of 113,000 compared with December 17. The increase is probably due to the discharge of temporary hands employed for Christmas, but these figures show a decrease of 235,778 compared with January 1 last year.

#### EMPIRE NAVAL CRUISE.

DURBAN, January 9. The light cruisers participating in the Empire cruise departed on January 5, after a most successful visit.

battle-cruisers arrived on January 6, departing the same evening.

#### PRINCE OF WALES IN PARIS.

LONDON, January 8. H.R.H. the Prince of Wales has departed for Paris on a few days! visit. He is travelling as the Earl of Chester.

### TROTSKY'S "FOLITICAL" ILLNESS.

HELSINGFORS, January 8. Moscow newspapers state that Trotzky has been ordered two months rest. The rows has caused a sensation in Moscow, where it is believed that his illness is purtly political.

#### LABOUR'S PROGRAMME.

LONDON, January 8. With the exception of the Times and the Morning Post, no morning newspapers devote leading articles Mr. Rumsay MacDonald's speech.

The Times says that the speech was marked by prudent caution and forced. showed considerable ability. The newspaper notes with satisfaction that a Labour Government would be based purely on a domestic programme and would not merely developments of natural water ignore the world wide interests of the British Empire.

The Morning Post says the main point is that Mr. MucDonald ignored the doctrines familiar to Socialist | president of the company. platforms. The speech was Radicalism of the familiar Celtic type. Socialists are trying to gain office under false pretences in order to

secure Liberal votes. The Daily Telegraph and the Daily Mail in leading articles, warn Liberals of the gravity of their respossibility if they put a Socialist American farm products. painting a gloomy picture of the consequences if the Socialist rank and file insist, as they have THE CHILDREN LIKE THEM threatened, on pensions for all.

Pedal," and says that this is appar-

### CAPTAIN BRANDI'S BODY

ICHANG, January 8. Tate information mys brigands is thorough yet gentle. They supersede travelled abound the "Ize Sui from all other remedies in the prompt relief winds and attacked the ship at tion, diarrhoes vomiting wind, colds ten. O'clock at night. Captain and crowp; expel worms; quickly bring been recovered. The shroff's body sufferers from teething troubles. the steamer. Palting, which met with perfect safety even to the youngest the Tre Sui, hour of the tragedy infant. Of chemiats, or post free, 60 and transferred to the Tree Sui couts per vial, from Dr. Williams and transferred to the "Tro Buil and took her to Chungking:

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Renter's Service to the China Mail. PEKING MANDATE.

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#### PEKING BOND ISSUE.

PEKING, January 9. It is reported that the Cabinet has approved of Wang Keh-ming's plan for the issue of \$10,000,000 bonds secured by the Peking Octroi. According to an unofficial report it has been suggested that the service of these bonds be placed under Hongkong St the Inspector-General of Unstoms.

#### KIDNAPPED MISSIONARY RELEASED.

SHANGHAL, January 9. A letter has been received at Shanghai stating that Dr. S. Schmalzried, an American missionary who was captured by bandits on November 21, was released on December 24.

#### PHILIPPINE DISTURBANCES.

MANILA, January 9. It is learned that the total number of victims at Surigno is nineteen including a Captain and Lieutenant of constabulary who were slain on January 8.

, Governor-General Wood has ordered one hundred constabulary to proceed to Suriguo from Manila. He said that the fanatics were nearer one thousand than two thousand.

· Shanghai, January 9. Renter's correspondent at Manila states that 2,000 religious fanatics are torrorizing the Surigao district. They have killed two police and five of the constabulary, whilst they have abducted two school teachers. constabulary is being rein-

All the nower rights at St Anthony Falls, one of the largest power in the world, have come into the ownership of the Northern States Power Company, it is announced by F. R. Pack, vice-

A world survey of agriculture is is being made at the direction of Henry C. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, it was announced, to keep American farmers informed as to foreign competitive conditions and to indicate what opportunities. exist abroad for the

The Daily Express heads the speech: Mr. MacDonald's Soft Own Tabets are used, for the Pedal, and says that this is appar- Tablets crush to a tasteless powder or ently the new Socialist order of the can be esten as a lezenge, and children like them. The action of

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The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet inches below mean sea-level. To obtain the depth of water on the

tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 8-foot 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet inches to the height given in the table.

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tched at 4 p.m. The A.O.L. s.s. "Pres. Madison" and Holidays when it is dropped at The P. & U. s.s. "Rhiva" left Shang which sailed from this port at 6 p.m. en a.m. hai for this port on Jan. 8 at 7.30 p.m. Jan. 8, was due in Manila at 7 a.m. to- The Ball is heisted half mast at

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#### WEATHER REPORT

Jan. 10d 11h. 20m.—Pressure has increased moderately from Chefoo to Shanghai and slightly at Keelung and Foochow. It is nearly at Minors, Importers and Seporters 54-58 Queen's Road Ct. Tel. Cen. 2802. the majority of other reporting stations.

The anticyclone has re-developed over China. Fresh monsoon may be expected along the S.E. coast of China and 31, Queen's Road Con. Tel. Con. 589. over the N. China sea.

Hongkoug rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m to-day, 0.00 inch. Total eince January 1st, 00; inches, against an average of 0.24 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on January 17, 1924. 1-Formosa Channal, N.E. winds.

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HONGRONG TIME SIGNALS.

The B. F. s.s. "Diomed" for Marseilles, The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of The Time Ball on Kawloon Signal Hill Havre, Liverpool and Glasgow left Russia" left Vancouver for Hongkong is dropped daily at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., at 10 s.m. and 1 p.m., and on Sundays

was due here to day at about 7 a.m. day. The returns from that port at 56th minute and full must at the 57th. The B. F. s.s. "Manelaus" for London, 5 p.m. on Jan. 13, arriving hereat 7 a.m. minute. Should the ball fail to drop at Matterdam and Hamburg left Shanghai on Jan. 15, and will sail for Victoria and the correct time it will be dowered at t on Jan. 8 for this port and is due here to | Scattle via Shanghai and Japan at 10 a.m. | minutes past the hour and the ordinary routine repeated at the following hour.

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#### DAMAGED MAILS.

The mails from the United Kingdom and Europe brought by a.s. "Japan " on the 5th inst. and by the s.s. "Sicilia" on the 3th inst., included 24 bags, the contents of which were found to have been badly damaged by water.

No information is to hand to account for the damage which is thought to have been done before the mails reached Singapore.

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